THE WEATHER

For Boston and vicinity: To-day, fair, slightly warmer, light easterly winds. To-morrow, fair and warmer.

High water 9:44 a. m.; 10:13 p. m.

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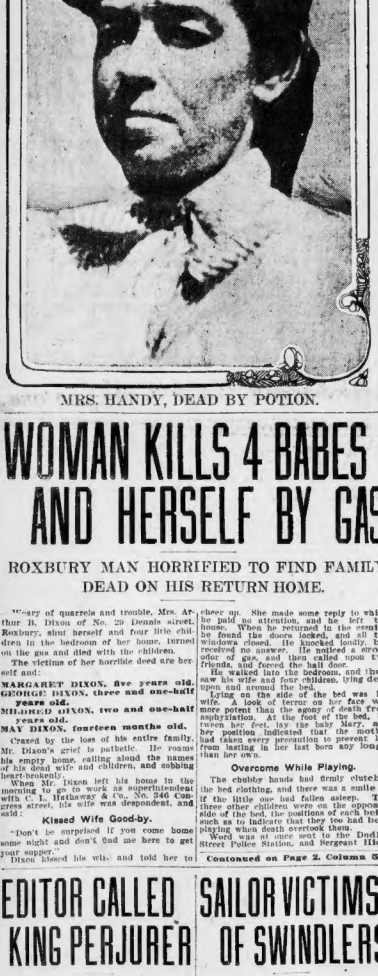
HUSBAND PROBES MYSTERY OF YOUNG WIFE'S 'LOVE POTION' DEATH TABLETS



MRS. HANDY, DEAD BY POTION.

Falmouth Stirred by Death of Mrs. Clara Handy, and Arrest Is Expected to Follow Autopsy—Poison in "Love Potion."

Special to the Boston American.

FALMOUTH, Feb. 7.—That poison, given in a so-called "love potion," killed **Mrs. Handy, the beautiful** wife of a well-known man here, is now firmly believed by the investigating authorities. Every fact they have discovered tends to corroborate this theory, and the man whose name has been most closely connected with the "love potion" may be arrested some time to-day.

The autopsy in the case is set for to-day. Meanwhile reporters for the BOSTON AMERICAN have obtained statements from the man who is mentioned in the matter as well as the physicians, the woman's husband and the officials. The suspected man's statement is a stout denial of any relations of any kind with Mrs. Handy. He admits that he knew her slightly, but says he never wrote to her.

The autopsy to-day will be performed by Medical Examiner Faunce, who was called into the case by Deputy Sheriff Bourne immediately after Mrs. Handy's death. A box of the candy containing the "love potion" is now in his hands and the State police have been called into the matter to aid the local authorities. Chemical analysis of Mrs. Handy's stomach will probably be made after the autopsy to-day.

Mrs. Handy was taken suddenly ill Friday night, and died yesterday morning. She had always been in good health, and an investigation of her death brought out the information that she had been taking a "love potion" for some time.

This immediately caused the police to become active, and they searched the dead woman's effects. They found a number of letters supposed to have been written by a town character, in which inquiries are made as to the effect of the "potion."

To Hold Autopsy.

Deputy Sheriff Bourne, on finding the letters, called State officer Ernest S. Bradford of Hyannis and Medical Examiner Faunce's attention to the case. These men have reached the conclusion that the woman's death justifies an autopsy and chemical analysis of the stomach and other organs of the body, to determine what poison killed the woman.

An arrest in the case is expected to-day. The police have under close surveillance the man most prominently mentioned in the case, and should he attempt to leave the town will be arrested immediately.

Mrs. Handy was one of the most strikingly beautiful women of the Cape district. Her husband bears an excellent reputation and is a boatman. He is prostrated by his wife's death and the subsequent revelation that she was receiving attentions from motive man. Before her marriage to Handy she was Miss Hingson. She was divorced before her marriage to Handy, but since that marriage has apparently been happy.

There are about fifty of the letters found by Sheriff Bourne. They are all in the same handwriting, and each addresses Mrs. Handy in the most endearing terms. In many of them Mr. Handy is referred to

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WOMAN KILLS 4 BABES AND HERSELF BY GAS

ROXBURY MAN HORRIFIED TO FIND FAMILY DEAD ON HIS RETURN HOME.

Weary of quarrels and trouble, Mrs. Arthur B. Dixon of No. 29 Dennis street, Roxbury, shut herself and four little children in the bedroom of her home, turned on the gas and died with the children.

The victims of her horrible deed are herself and:

MARGARET DIXON, five years old.
GEORGE DIXON, three and one-half years old.
MILDRED DIXON, two and one-half years old.
MAY DIXON, fourteen months old.

Crazed by the loss of his entire family, Mr. Dixon's grief is pathetic. He roams his empty home, calling aloud the names of his dead wife and children, and sobbing heart-brokenly.

When Mr. Dixon left his home in the morning to go to work as superintendent with C. L. Hathaway & Co., No. 346 Congress street, his wife was despondent, and said:

Kissed Wife Good-by.

"Don't be surprised if you come home some night and don't find me here to get your supper."

Dixon kissed his wife, and told her to cheer up. She made some reply to which he paid no attention, and he left the house. When he returned in the evening he found the doors locked, and all the windows closed. He knocked loudly, but received no answer. He noticed a strong odor of gas, and then called upon two friends, and forced the hall door.

He walked into the bedroom, and there saw his wife and four children, lying dead upon and around the bed.

Lying on the side of the bed was his wife. A look of terror on her face was more potent than the agony of death from asphyxiation. At the foot of the bed, between her feet, lay the baby Mary, and her position indicated that the mother had taken every precaution to prevent life from leaving in her last born any longer than her own.

Overcome While Playing.

The chubby hands had firmly clutched the bed clothing, and there was a smile as if the little one had fallen asleep. The three other children were on the opposite side of the bed, the positions of each being such as to indicate that they too had been playing when death overtook them.

Word was at once sent to the Dudley Street Police Station, and Sergeant Hick-

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EDITOR CALLED KING PERJURER

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Feb. 7.—A verdict of acquittal has been returned by a jury which tried a leading Hungarian journalist, named Fenyes, who was prosecuted of a charge of lese majeste for calling Emperor Francis Joseph a perjurer in an article which he wrote. Fenyes pleaded that the Emperor broke his constitutional oath by the illegal dissolution of Parliament.

The acquittal of Fenyes has created a great sensation and it is expected that all the Hungarian papers will now begin a line of bitter personal criticism of the Emperor.

GIVES THE LIE TO COLONEL MANN

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The lie direct was given to Colonel William D'Alton Mann, editor and proprietor of Town Topics, during the continuation of his trial on the charge of perjury. Moses Ellis Wooster, originator of the "Fads and Fancies" scheme, swore that Mann had in his presence written the letters "O. S., W. B. M." on the letter to Wooster from Count Reginald Ward asking that the latter be placed on the Town Topics free mailing list.

It is for denying this under oath during the Drexel-Haggood criminal libel trial that Colonel Mann is charged with perjury on the complaint of Robert J. Collier.

SAILOR VICTIMS OF SWINDLERS

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 7.—The authorities have discovered a gigantic scheme to swindle poor sailors and especially cattle men who ship from this port. Promoters in Western cities round up all the natives of the "old country," sailors, cattlemen and others, and represent to them that could cross the water as cattlemen on the big liners out of Boston and Portland, paying their way by doing a little light work, and that after a visit in the British Isles they would be given a return ticket as regular passengers to this country.

At Toronto the men are told that they can make this trip by paying $15. When the poor men reach Montreal they are met by another "agent," who tells them that if they wish to ship from Boston they would have to go to Portland, and takes them $3 each more for this privilege.

Here the men discover that instead of getting wages of four or five shillings, one shilling per month is the best they will get, and they must deposit $3 to guarantee on their return not becoming a public charge.

JOE GANS LOSES SUIT FOR DIVORCE

BALTIMORE, Feb. 7.—Despite the fact that the defendant, Madge M. Gans, was not in court, Joseph Gans, the colored pugilist, lost his suit for absolute divorce. The suit was filed by Gans last July, the charge being unfaithfulness.

Petition Court for Hanover Receiver.

BANK IS NOW CLOSED

Legal Action Follows Arrest of Vice-President Hooper of Boston Institution.

Sensational Sequel to Financial Tangle With the Imperial Trustees Company.

Application for the appointment of a receiver for the Hanover Bank of No. 132 Hanover street came before Judge Braley in the Superior Court and was postponed until next Tuesday. Meanwhile the bank has been enjoined from doing business, thus tying up deposits of about $32,000.

These developments follow quickly the arrest of Vice-President Foster Hooper for alleged conspiracy and the floating in New York of $30,000 worth of alleged bogus drafts against the bank.

Developments in the Hanover Bank case have crowded upon one another since the BOSTON AMERICAN first called the attention of the Bank Commissioners to the institution several weeks ago. Now the appointment of a receiver, as seems likely, will have the effect of throwing light on business methods which have led to such remarkable financial entanglements.

Deposits Only $32,000.

The injunction against the Hanover Bank, which restrains it from all business, was issued by Judge Braley in the Superior Court. Then Attorney-General Malone stated that his office would bring application for a receiver. This was actually done to-day. Mr. Hall represented the Attorney-General's office and Edgar O. Achorn appeared for the bank. The postponement was granted on the representation that other counsel would have to be employed, as Mr. Achorn is going abroad.

In the course of the investigation of the affairs of the bank it is appeared that despite the prominence it has suddenly assumed it had deposits of only $32,-535.77.

Conspiracy Charged.

One of the things in which the Bank Commissioners are particularly interested is to show what connection, if any, exists between the bank and the Imperial Trustee Company of New Jersey. It was in connection with the affairs of this company that Mr. Hooper, vice-president of the bank, was arrested. With four other men he was accused of a conspiracy to defraud other corporations by a swindling underwriting plan of bonds.

Now it appears that the operations of this company cover practically the whole country, that thousands of persons were victimized by the bond insurance scheme and that the total amount of money in the interest for the accused men will aggregate nearly $3,000,000.

As the result of an examination of the bank's affairs the commissioners became satisfied that the bank if forced to respond to a "run" would be wholly unable to cope with the demand and consequently the injunction was asked.

The Hanover Bank succeeded the State Banking and Safe Deposit Company, an Arizona corporation with a capital of $1,000,000, whose pain office was on Hanover street.

Had Many Branches.

The bank had two branch offices, one in Stoughton and the other in Norwood. It did not do a large business in either place, however, and the bulk of the deposits came from the merchants in the market section of this city.

The swindling operations alleged against one man aggregate $80,000 by means of the sale of alleged bogus drafts for $1,000 each on the Hanover Bank. William Leary has been arrested for this. This followed

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"SLASHER" KEEPS ON SNIPPING GIRLS' HAIR

POLICE FAIL TO STOP DEPREDATIONS OF THE MYSTERIOUS CRIMINAL.

With twenty girls of Greater Boston mourning the loss of their braids of hair, besides another victim in Nashua, N. H., "Jack the Slasher" defies the police and citizens and continues his depredations with seeming impunity. The authorities are helpless. They can get no trace of the man who goes about the city nobbing little girls and grown women of their hair, and although they have a good description of the man he appears in crowded thoroughfares, clips the hair from his victim's head and drops out of sight in a most mysterious manner.

"Jack the Slasher's" methods are always the same, and this leads the police to believe that he may have an imitator. The latest victim is Miss Edith G. Foster, the twelve-year-old daughter of Dana Foster, No. 19 Chestnut street, Hyde Park. She was on her way home from the St. Raphael Parochial School, and when near the corner of Austin and Parrott streets, the "Slasher" crept up behind her and cut off her braid. Instead of keeping the hair, as has been done in other cases, he threw the braid, about a foot long, into a hedge nearby, where it was found later by the police, who were investigating.

"I thought that I was alone," said the little girl to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter, "but suddenly I felt a pull on my hair and looked around. A man whom I hadn't seen before was walking away from me. He did not seem to be hurrying and I paid no more attention to him. I did not see his face but I remember that he was not tall and was thin set. He wore a short dark top coat, dark clothes and a brown derby hat.

Think He's a Local Man.

"When I felt the pull on my braid I thought that it had caught on my dress and I was not alarmed. Just before I got home I met Edith Troy, a little girl I know, and she told me that my braid was gone. I went into the house then and told papa. He went and got the police and they found my braid in the bushes."

The Hyde Park police are investigating the case, but have been unable to get any trace of the man. They said to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter to-day:

"The man who cut the hair of the little Foster girl, we believe, is a Hyde Park man. We have no clue to go on in the way of a description that it is

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FIRE REVEALS ART TREASURES

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Fire starting early to-day in the Parker building, No. 22 Fourth avenue, on the eleventh floor of the twelve-story structure, which in the second time in some place was ablaze in twenty-four hours, revealed the fact that pictures and tapestry valued at a great fortune are stored on the tenth floor of the building and that they belong to some mysterious collector who is said to have brought them to this country from Europe.

One report is that these pictures belong to a Baltimore millionaire who rented the store in the Parker building to store them until they were removed to his new home in the Maryland city.

The fire, starting on the eleventh floor in a part of the building occupied by George Stegeman & Co. did considerable damage, and frightened the guests in the Hotel Florence, which is next door.

GIRL DASHES THROUGH FIRE

A fire which started in the bathroom of the lodging house at No. 434 Massachusetts avenue put several lives in peril.

Miss Margaret Cullen, who was reading in her room, adjoining the bathroom, heard the crackling of the flames.

Opening the door, she was met by a gush of smoke that nearly overcame her. A second later and the hallway between her and safety was in flames.

Pinching her nose about her head and face, she dashed through the smoke and flame, and a moment later was descending three flights of stairs to the street.

On her way to the street she screamed out a warning to the landlady and to the other lodgers in the house, who flocked to the street panic-stricken, and were later housed by neighbors.

SPOTTED FEVER CASE.

CLINTON, Feb. 7.—Henry G. Lythe is ill of spotted fever and his condition is serious. He is at the Clinton Hospital and but little hope for his recovery is entertained.

ROOSEVELT OIL FOR EDWARD VII.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 7.—It is understood in art circles here that William M. Chase, a well-known portrait painter, has been commissioned by President Roosevelt to paint his portrait for presentation to King Edward of Great Britain.

Mr. Chase does not deny that he is to paint a picture of President Roosevelt for that purpose, but said that he had not yet received any official communication, and would not discuss the subject.

HOLD ALLEGED HORSE THIEF

August Elsler, twenty-one years old, of No. 77 Newman street, was held in $1,000 bail for the Grand Jury by Judge Fallon in the South Boston District Court to-day on the charge of stealing a horse, buggy and harness from the stable of John Bullman, No. 92 Champney street. Charles Murray of No. 24 Telegraph street, who was arraigned as an accomplice, was dismissed.

The horse and buggy was stolen last month. It was taken to Brockton, where an unsuccessful effort was made to sell it. Then it was taken to a stable there, where it was recovered by the police.

300 SHEET METAL WORKERS PLEDGE THEMSELVES TO SPUR COUNCILMEN

A Gentle Reminder!

Pass Resolutions Urging Latter to Vote for Municipal Lighting Order.

The 300 members of Sheet Metal Workers' Union No. 17 have passed a resolution pledging themselves to visit the Councilmen in their wards and urge them to vote for the municipal lighting order at Thursday night's meeting of the Council.

The resolution, which was proposed by President John J. Hynes, was as follows:

"Whereas, The municipal lighting order failed to pass the Common Council at its meeting last Thursday evening, through some Councilmen breaking their pledges and others evading the issue; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That each member of Sheet Metal Workers' Union No. 17 personally visit the Councilmen in his ward, and bring all the pressure in his power to bear upon them to pass the order and trust the people's judgment at the polls on the question."

In introducing the resolution, President Hynes earnestly requested all the members of the union to be present at next Thursday night's meeting of the Council and work for the passage of the order.

Business Agent John F. Kennedy said:

"Municipal ownership of public lighting is bound to come. I do not believe that any councilman who violates his pledge to the people or dodges the issue will ever be elected to public office again.

"It is time that the labor men woke up to a realization of their political strength and sent their own councilmen and aldermen to City Hall. They should follow the example set by the workingmen of England, who organized themselves into a political force and elected fifty labor men to Parliament. As a member of the committee of twenty-five appointed by the Central Labor Union which will attend Thursday night's meeting of the Council in a body, I will use what influence I have toward securing the passage of this referendum.

"This fact should not be lost sight of, in spite of the efforts of corporation influence to keep it in the background—that this is a vote to submit the matter of a municipal lighting plant to the people. Every citizen should consider it a personal slight if he is robbed of the right to pass judgment upon the matter at the polls."

The 200 members of Electrical Workers' Union No. 104 will attend in a body the next row night's session of the Common Council to work for the passage of the municipal lighting order for a municipal lighting plant. A resolution to this effect was passed at last night's meeting.

The union also indorsed the action of the Central Labor Union and appointed Timothy F. Murphy, Henry Abbott and John 19, to work in conjunction with the Central Labor Union committee of twenty-five. Michael J. Birmingham of the Electrical Workers' Union No. 104 is a member of the committee of twenty-five.

Councilman Murphy voted for the order at the last meeting of the Council, but declared in an address at last night's meeting that he would do all in his power to influence the other two councilmen from his ward to vote for the passage of the order.

E. E. GRAYCO.'S CLERKS DANCE

Members of the E. E. Gray Company Employees' Mutual Benefit Association are being congratulated on holding one of the prettiest concert and dancing parties of the season. It was the "first annual" of the association, and unusual pains were taken to ensure its success.

It took place in Howe and Potter Halls, New Century building, Huntington avenue. There was an overture in Potter Hall, as follows: Vocal selections, Hermann Kuegers, Alfred Beck, Wm. Schmidt, Frank Nathies, Mead; Miss Gertrude G. Conard, T. A. Ross, Hartschmidt, Miss Anna Cox, Miss Agnes Cox, J. M. Hickey, Mr. Mead; recitations, Miss Anna M. Abbott; violin selections, Miss Ethel Simpson; cornet solo, F. Roy Whitehouse, and numbers by the quartet, comprising Messrs. Beck, Huegers, Frank and Seegers.

Dancing followed in Howe Hall till 1 o'clock, with a collation at 11 o'clock. The guests of the association were the members of the firm, Elmer P. Gray, accompanied by Mrs. Gray, and Fred S. Douglas, also the managers of the Gray stores. The dance floor was in charge of Fred S. Douglas, assisted by Miss Bessie M. Rafferton, Miss Theresa M. McCusker, Miss Mary E. Sutton, Miss Amy L. Berry, Miss Marion A. Standish, Everett G. Davis, Clarence I. Currier, John C. Lehnanan and Louis R. Nasiseon.

Dreyfus' French Table d'Hote. 6-12 Beach St., 1 door from Wash st.

POLICE FAIL TO STOP WORK OF "THE SLASHER"

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hardly probable that we can get the milkcount, but we intend to put a stop to that kind of work in this town, anyway."

Annie D. McCusker, seventeen years old, of Chelsea, is another victim. She lost a large part of her black tresses about 4 o'clock in the afternoon on Second street while doing an errand. She thinks her hair was stabbed by a woman, or a man in woman's clothes.

Miss McCusker left her home, No. 55 Cherry street, to go to a bakeshop. As she was crossing Second street she met a woman, who, she believes, did the clipping. After passing the woman, Miss McCusker walked up Broadway to a laundry office, in Bellingham square. There she met two girl friends, Miss Mary Bennett and Miss Lillian Littlefield.

"Where's your hair ribbon, Annie?" asked Miss Morrison.

Believes 'Twas a Woman.

Miss Morrison looked at Miss McCusker's head more closely and saw that her hair had been cut off.

The woman was stout and about five feet eight inches tall," said Miss McCusker. "She wore a black hat with a wide brim in front, without feathers, and was full faced. Neither good looking nor ugly. She wore eyeglasses—not spectacles. Her coat was of a light tan color, three-quarters in length, empire style, and was belted in the back. She wore a black skirt."

Three other late victims of the "Slasher" are Miss Rose Burns, seventeen years old, of No. 222 Broadway Cambridge; Miss Florence McNamara, eighteen years old, of Tufts street, Charlestown, and Alice Flinn, twelve years old, of No. 67 Monument place, Charlestown.

Alice Flinn declares that the man who cut her hair is about five feet ten inches tall and is dark complexioned. He was dressed in shabby clothes and wore a slouch hat pulled down well over his face.

Miss Handy thinks her hair was cut while she was in a crowd of persons waiting to catch an Albion street car at the Broadway street transfer station in Charlestown bridge. She remembers feeling a slight tug at her hair, but gave little attention to it. She rode in the car several blocks, then her attention was called to the condition of her long braid by a fellow passenger. The braid was held to her head by the ribbon and a few unscreened strands of hair.

Suspect to Be Freed.

Miss Florence McNamara of Charlestown thinks that her hair was clipped while she was coming from the car station to the elevated station at City square. She remembers that some one lurched against her as she was ascending the stairs to the station platform.

The man arrested by Captain Kimball and Inspector Wolf yesterday in the West End on suspicion has not been identified by any of the victims of the "Slasher," and after the charge of drunkenness against him has been pressed again in court the police will release him. He gave the name of Hiram Lorraine.

The officers found him acting in a peculiar manner watching little girls with long braids, and once calling after one that he particularly liked. He corresponded in dress and size to the man who has been described as the "Slasher," and this fact, together with his actions, led to his detention.

THIRD, NERVOUS MOTHERS
Comforted by a cup of Ginger Tea made from genuine Sanford's. Nothing better.

WOMAN DIES; POISON SOUGHT IN LOVE POTION

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as "No. 1" and the writer says: "I suppose you are keeping a close watch upon him."

None of these letters were sent to Mrs. Handy through the mail. They were all pushed through a small opening in one of the windows in the dead woman's bedroom. The police claim they have evidence to show that the last letter Mrs. Handy received was pushed through the hole in the window at about one o'clock yesterday morning. It was written in lead pencil, and the writer inquired anxiously for Mrs. Handy, saying that he hoped she would soon be out.

Dr. J. A. Watson, who first examined Mrs. Handy's body, says there seems little doubt in his mind that poison was given her. The candy will be turned over to the proper authorities for analysis.

The woman, while complaining since Friday night, was not taken seriously ill until Sunday. It is said she was seen walking with a man on Sunday, and that she was stricken while in his company.

Mr. Handy to-day said:

"I knew that my wife's illness about two weeks ago. She was very secretive about it. I knew she had been out at night, but supposed that she was visiting with her sister. She complained of stomach trouble, and had cramps. She said she did not know just what did cause them. I have always trusted her and loved her. This affair has broken my heart."

The candy which is supposed to have played a prominent part in the death of the woman was in an aluminum box, and was labeled "Salted Almonds." The contents were small violet perfumed pellets. Sheriff Bourgeois has had three cases fully examined and analyzed.

Mrs. Handy's friends have known for some time that another man had been paying attentions to the woman, but they were not well received. To a confidante she acknowledged that she was taking a "love potion," but for what reason she would not say. She did not tell anyone who made up the potion, as far as can be found out.

A search of the records at the local drug store fails to reveal sales of poisons of any kind to within the past few weeks. Representatives of the salesmen and town police have been sent to various New York and cities to see if they can trace the sale of the poison supposed to be in the candy.

The town is in a furor of excitement over the death of Mrs. Handy, and there have been threats against the safety of a man known to have been familiar with Mrs. Handy. The police are closely watching developments, and an arrest will probably result to-day.

BOSTON STOCKS.

	Opening.	11 a. m.
Adventure	9¼	9¼
Allouez	1⅝	1⅝
Amalgamated	45⅞	45⅞
American Pneumatic	46⅞	46⅞
Bingham	30	30
Boston Con.	22⅝	22⅝
Boston & Worcester	26	26
Boston & Maine pfd.	96	96
Boston Suburban	25	25⅛
Copper Range	50⅝	50⅝
Daly-West	10	10
Dominion Iron	29⅝	29⅝
Franklin	25	25
Greene Con.	10⅛	10⅛
Mass. Electric	12⅝	12⅝
Nevada Con.	24⅝	24⅝
Old Dominion	100½	100½
Quincy	84	84
Rhode Island Coal	17⅞	17⅞
Rhode Island Coal pfd.	78	78
United States Steel	10⅝	10⅝
United States Steel pfd.	49½	49½
United Fruit	97⅛	97⅛
U. S. Mining	3⅝	3⅝
Utah	77	77
Victoria	3⅝	3⅝
Wolverine	153	154

MISS ALICE'S WEDDING TOUR AROUND GLOBE

First Part of the Honeymoon to Be Spent in the South.

SOME SPLENDID GIFTS

By Boston American Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The trip to Europe, including presentation at the Court of St. James by Ambassador Reid, which Miss Alice Roosevelt has decided upon as a part of her honeymoon, may now develop into a tour of the world during which the daughter of the President will be presented at all the European and Asiatic courts.

Two years will be devoted to the globe trotting, and London, Paris, Berlin, St. Petersburg, Rome, Athens, Constantinople, Cairo, the Vice-Regal court in India, Pekin and Tokio will surely be visited, and perhaps Australia as well.

Miss Roosevelt has had prepared for her a trousseau a series of gowns for presentation at the chief European courts, and there are also other creations intended for wear in tropical countries which go to bear out the story of the contemplated tour of the globe.

Emperor William, for whose yacht Miss Roosevelt acted as sponsor on the occasion of the visit of Prince Henry of Prussia, is anxious to entertain her, and it is certain that in France, Italy, Russia and Greece the young bride will be tendered a flattering reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Longworth will tour Europe, leaving Washington some time in June. The early days of the honeymoon will be spent first at the old Roosevelt homestead in Georgia, and later at Palm Beach.

Their departure on the globe trotting trip has been delayed until June.

GIFTS OF SILVER, GOLD AND JEWELS COME TO CAPITAL

By Boston American Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—"Such wedding presents I have never seen," said a prominent society woman of this city to-day, in speaking of the gifts that are arriving at the White House for the bride-elect.

"Why, silver is pouring in like coal in a cellar, and such wonderful pieces. At least eight huge loving cups have already arrived, every one of which is worth from $500 to $1,000. And I have seen three beautiful diamond necklaces. The one Miss Roosevelt received from Mr. Lodge is worth, in an exquisite affair. On three occasions lately I have seen her wear it. It consists of a single row of diamonds on a chain, set very closely together and all of the same size, perhaps a half or three-quarters of a carat each, but of remarkable brilliancy. Another large diamond collar has been received, and is a collar single chain that will go twice about the neck. A ring of gold is left for the pendant, and one may be impressed that is to come later.

At every jewelry store in the city the employes are working overtime filling orders for gifts for the bride-elect. At one place the Chinese minister called yesterday with some of his attaches to choose a gift. He "I want a gift for Miss Roosevelt that is, first, unique—something very odd and curious," the minister said, "and whatever the value is is a secondary consideration."

At one jewelry store in this city there are six immense loving cups, five solid silver tea sets, ten chests of silver, five necklaces of pearls, diamonds and other stones, and fifty solid silver dishes of various kinds in the engraver's hands.

The servants at the Longworth home on Eighteenth street have already chosen their gift—a solid silver fruit basket in lattice and filigree design.

Below is the banishment presents received thus far by Miss Roosevelt is a diamond girl's pin, a solid gold bracelet, a diamond fob. It is made upon a platinum base. The brilliant stones, all over a carat in size, placed above one another in five rows. Those who have seen it say that, while it is a beautiful collar, it is not so youthful and becoming to Miss Roosevelt as the simpler strand of diamonds presented to her by her fiance. Besides giving a present as a souvenir of the Philippine junket each member of the Taft party will present the bride-elect with a handsome individual gift.

It is estimated that Miss Roosevelt will have to write over 2,000 formal notes of acknowledgments of gifts.

RULERS OF ITALY TO SEND GEMS TO MISS ROOSEVELT

Special Cable to Boston American.

ROME, Feb. 7.—King Victor Emmanuel has ordered a firm of Milan jewelers to make a wedding gift for Miss Alice Roosevelt. The present, which will be a joint and private gift of the King and Queen, is to be in the form of a necklace to make special presentations to the bride.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	Opening.	11 a.m.
Amal. Copper	110	110
Amer. Car & Foun.	45¼	45¼
Amer. Ice	15⅝	15⅝
Amer. Sugar	132	132
Anaconda	49¾	49¾
Atchison	88⅛	88⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	108	108
Brooklyn Transit	70½	70½
Chesapeake & Ohio	47⅝	47⅝
Chic. & Gt. West.	16½	16½
Chic. & Alton	34	34
Colo. Fuel & Iron	41	41
Colo. Southern	24⅝	24⅝
Manhattan	139½	139½
Metropolitan	130	130
Mexican Central	19⅝	19⅝
Missouri Pacific	100	100
Nat. Lead	49⅝	49⅝
New York Central	140	140
Norfolk & Western	70⅝	70⅝
Northern Pacific	208	208
Pacific Mail	45⅝	45⅝
Peoples Gas	103	103
Reading	158	158
Rock Island	28	28
Rock Island pfd.	58	58
Southern Pacific	68⅝	68⅝
Southern Railway	28⅝	28⅝
Southern Railway pfd.	69	69
Texas Pacific	24⅝	24⅝
Union Pacific	141⅝	141⅝
U. S. Steel	43⅝	43⅝
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KILLS 4 BABIES AND HERSELF BY GAS

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ey, with a number of reserve officers, was sent to the house. With them came Medical Examiner McDonald, who immediately held an inquest, the verdict being that the circumstances showed them to be, the suicide of Mrs. Dixon and the murder of the four children.

The house was in considerable disorder, as though the woman had been contemplating the deed she finally committed during all the day, omitting even the ordinary duties of her housework.

The strain to which she had been subjected during the day was plainly told by the care with which the children's Christmas toys had been handled, discarded and laid away upon a shelf. The latter had been dusted, and every toy had a separate place alloted it, those of each child being placed together and packed away as though it was the intention of the woman that each should they be used by those for whom they were purchased.

Says Wife Had Troubles.

Although nearly prostrated by the horrible deaths of his entire family, Mr. Dixon gave this story of his wife's motive for the crime to the BOSTON AMERICAN:

"When I found the doors all locked and the windows closed I feared that some thing had happened, but did not imagine for a moment that anything of another like by before my eyes a moment later. My wife thought at times perhaps there was life in some of the bodies, and I drove my self through the window. The gas almost overpowered me. It took but a moment to see that they were all dead.

"Last October we were ejected from the house at No. 580 Saratoga street, East Boston, because of an occurrence there. My wife had troubles which she never blamed her for. She was made the victim of others. I forgive her for all the wrong she ever did, for I loved her. I'd give my life if she were back."

Before her marriage Mrs. Dixon was Miss Anna Louise McIntyre. Her parents live at the Emerson House, Winthrop.

MRS. DIXON AND CHILDREN.

In the upper picture is shown Baby May Dixon, the youngest of the children who died from asphyxiation with the mother at their home on Dennis street. In the lower are Mrs. Dixon herself with Baby George, aged three and one-half years in her arms, who was also a victim of his mother's act.

HANOVER BANK CLOSED BY STATE

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quickly on the heels of the arrest here of Leary.

According to the New York police the man Leary had confessed that he disposed of bogus drafts on the timower Bank, and that Cooper, Strobridge and Hooper, well known to the police, as a man who worked with him in the past. As a result of this has been that the search for goslin has been pressed with the greatest energy, and Detective Sergeant Ellis has finally disparaged since a recent arrest and escape.

Leary is now in jail in the Tombs. While the larceny of $925 worth of diamonds from Queens, L. I., is the principal charge in Manhattan, who is the complainant against him, Goslin says that the diamonds left by Leary in exchange for a $1,000 draft drawn on the Hanover Bank of Boston which he received to be genuine. When the bank received the draft it was learned that Leary was a stranger to the institution and had no deposit there. The discovery of the bogus check led to other victims and the drafts valueless led to Leary's discovery and arrest.

Five Men Arrested.

Two years' investigation of the operations of the Imperial Trustee Company of New Jersey and subsidiary corporations culminated in the arrest of five men, among them Hooper. The men are charged jointly with using the mails to fleece other corporations of their money and securities of customers' bonds. The police say several other arrests are to follow.

In addition to Mr. Hooper, who flatly denies any connection with whatever savings the Imperial, the name of another man, Sachnsetts man, F. W. Jacobs, appears on the list of Directors of the Imperial Trustee Company. Besides Mr. Hooper the men arrested are John L. White, president of the Imperial; Robert L. Rinkton, banker and broker; Clyde Colt, broker, of New York, and Frederick Waugh, Philadelphia agent of the Imperial.

The Hanover Bank was incorporation in West Virginia June 13, 1905, with a capital stock at the time of its incorporation, amounted to $250,000, divided into 2,500 shares at $100 each.

Of its officers were New York men. They were: M. S. Rosewig, president; F. W. Jacobs, vice president and treasurer, and Z. Holmes, Robert G. Rinkton, H. B. Malin and A. W. Cooke directors. The bank was conveient later to change the officers, as the New York names were not familiar to the Boston banking public, so a number of men with which many people were more or less familiar, were placed on the list of officers and directors. C. B. Anderson was made president. The name of C. B. Anderson, of the Anderson Coal Mining Company of No. 131 State street, has been confused with that of the real president.

Mr. Anderson said that he was at one time invited to become an officer in the bank, but refused, and has never had any connection with it. Lester Hooper, whose father is with the New England Trust Company, became the vice-president. Louis P. Fay the treasurer, and H. H. Newcomb of a well-known loan company, J. R. Aronson of I. R. Aronson & Co., Salem street clothing makers, and Hoyt T. Company, directors.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S LAW PARTNER DEAD

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Feb. 7.—Joseph H. Pearl of Haverhill, Mass., a law partner of Attorney-General William H. Moody, died suddenly while inspecting a cottage owned by him at the beach here.

The coroner pronounced death as being due to apoplexy.

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ROBBED WRECK VICTIM'S BODY

Check Belonging to Man Killed at Baker Bridge Found in Fitchburg Gutter.

GHOULS LOOTED THE DYING

FITCHBURG, Feb. 7.—That ghouls robbed the dead and mangled bodies of the Baker bridge horror has been proved beyond a doubt by the finding of a check for $50 signed by D. J. Wetherbee, one of the unfortunate victims.

While passing down North street to-day Bernard McCarty chanced to observe a piece of paper flattering in the gutter. Picking it up he was astonished to find it was a check for $50 drawn on the Concord National Bank, signed by D. J. Wetherbee and made payable to Julia A. Morrison. The check was dated August 8.

McCarty immediately turned his find over to Chief of Police D. W. Tinsley. At the time of the wreck Wetherbee was in the habit of carrying a large sum of money, several checks and valuable papers, all done up in a black wallet. The precise amount was never known. While the body was badly mangled, strange to say the clothes were in good condition, and even the rubber tires clothed the body the pocketbook was missing.

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PLAINTIFF IN $5,000 BREACH OF PROMISE SUIT BLAMES MOTHER

Former Fiance Postponed Wedding at Father's Death and Kept Postponing.

Love Letter by Girl Who Wants $5,000

October 3, 1905.

Dear Fred—I am so happy to have you write, no matter what the letter contains or no matter what has transpired of late. I love you and always will. If you wish to break the engagement I can only say that I have no wish in the matter. Truly, dear, you have not seemed like my sweetheart of late. If we could only have written to each other I would have been happy. I have no brother or sister with whom I can place my affections. Those who are taking you from me cannot see with your eyes. They do not know your craving for a companion. Please write to me and let the past six months pass, as it has seemed to me a bad dream. Truly yours,

BERTHA.

Miss Bertha F. Turner of Reading, former church organist and ex-member of the famous Fadettes Ladies Orchestra, who is suing Frederick Stanley Whitcomb, a well-to-do farmer of Acton, for $5,000 for alleged breach of promise of marriage, says that she merely wants to recover for the loss of her position as organist and for money expended on her trousseau, both incurred through her expectations of being married.

Miss Turner blames relatives of Mr. Whitcomb for causing trouble between them. It is said that Mr. Whitcomb's widowed mother objects to his marrying and leaving home.

A feature of the case, when it comes to trial in the Middlesex Superior Court's civil session in East Cambridge, where the suit is filed, will be the presentation of letters between the couple. One, especially, from Miss Turner to Whitcomb, written last October, breathes the spirit of a girl's love for a man, her loneliness on account of having no near relatives of her own and her happiness at the apparent renewal of affection between them. She writes: "I love you and always will."

Met Three Years Ago.

Miss Turner, in speaking of her suit, said:

"I have asked a fair question of Mr. Whitcomb. He can settle the case now if he so desires. I do not care to state what that question is, as it is known only to him, myself and our attorneys. It is his own fault, however, if the case goes to court.

"I met Mr. Whitcomb three years ago at Roche's, while I was passing my vacation at the home of his cousin, Miss Willard. We saw each other frequently and after an acquaintance of a year our engagement was announced. He gave me an engagement ring, which I still have, and we were to have been married within a few months of our engagement. Mr. Whitcomb's father died, however, and the wedding was postponed.

"He then postponed the wedding again, as he said that he had to settle the estate and care for his sister and mother. About a year ago he was silent for more than six weeks, during which time I could not saw nor heard from him. Then I wrote, asking that a date for our wedding be set, and received a letter in reply stating that our engagement was broken.

"The whole trouble is due to the influence of his relatives.

"I was organist in the Baptist Church of Reading when I became engaged to him and gave up that position at the end of the year, as I expected to be married within a few months. The loss of money from that position and the cost of my trousseau caused me to bring this suit."

Thought Him Influenced.

Mr. Whitcomb is about thirty-five years old. He is a son of the late Representative Whitcomb. The family is said to own considerable real estate in Acton. Whitcomb now runs a stock, produce and milk farm.

According to Miss Turner's story, Whitcomb first postponed the wedding on account of his father's death. Then he is said to have kept deferring the marriage till Miss Turner objected. She wrote to him that she thought women were influencing him in ways other than his own affections would guide him. That was last April. No other letters passed between them, so far as is known, till the one of last October, in which Miss Turner wrote as though loving all was smooth-ly and love between them again.

The next development was the filing of Miss Turner's suit through her counsel, James L. Powers.

WOULD NOT LET SULLIVAN BOX

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 7.—John L. Sullivan and his sparring partner were prevented from giving their boxing exhibition here by the chief of police.

"For the first time in my whole career I am not allowed to box with my partner in a show," remarked the ex-champion.

Sullivan and his manager started to hunt a lawyer and get out an injunction against police interference, but it was too late to secure one. An application is to be made to-day.

There were fully twenty-five policemen on the stage and scattered through the theatre to see that the law was not violated.

SALEM RACE TRACK BEFORE GOVERNOR

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 7.—The petition of the committee of twelve representing the State Sunday School Association, asking that the opinion of the Supreme Court be secured in regard to the charter of the New England Breeders' Club and the operation of its running race track in Salem, this State, was taken at a meeting of Governor McLane and Council, but definite action upon it was postponed until February 12.

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SEERESS SUES FOR $100,000 HEART BALM

Wealthy Neil McNeil of Dorchester Defendant in Breach of Promise Action.

Mrs. Theresa Hanalum, of No. 180 Columbus avenue, a palmist and card reader known as "Mme. Fess," has sued Neil McNeil, of No. 59 Stanley street, Dorchester, for $100,000, alleging breach of promise. Mr. McNeil sailed for Europe yesterday.

Mr. McNeil is about sixty, but looks younger, and Mrs. Hanalum is a great many years younger, and looks it. She is a widow with three children.

Woman Grief-Stricken.

Mrs. Hanalum has been much affected by the failure of Mr. McNeil to keep his promise, she says, and tears came into her eyes as she told of her affection for Mr. McNeil and the unhappiness his desertion had caused her.

"I first met Mr. McNeil professionally," she said. "He came to consult me about his business affairs. Two years ago Mr. McNeil asked me to marry him and I said I would. After that he was very attentive and devoted.

"Everything was very pleasant until seven months ago, when Mr. McNeil called on me one evening and asked me to release him from his promise. He admitted that my profession was the only objection.

Engagement Broken.

"After I refused to agree to cool our engagement, Mr. McNeil told me was sorry he had made me unhappy, as he loved me. He said: 'I'll never marry any other woman. If I cannot have you I'll never marry.'

"I have not seen him since that evening seven months ago."

Neil McNeil left Boston with friends to make a three-months' tour of Southern Europe and the Holy Land.

"There is absolutely nothing to this story," said Mr. Clark, his counsel. "Mr. McNeil never expressed any desire to marry the woman. She has no letters, no presents, nothing to show that Mr. McNeil ever paid her any attention."

COST ELEVATED $3,000.

Michael Tabey, who was hurt by being thrown to the ground by the sudden starting of an electric car, has been awarded $3,000 in his suit against the Boston Elevated railway.

TO BE MORAN AND JEROME OF SCITUATE

Caleb T. Jenkins, Jr., Says He Will Do Things if He Is Elected Selectman.

'LAWSON'S TAX TOO SMALL'

SCITUATE, Feb. 7.—Caleb T. Jenkins, Jr., is making a Moran campaign for election as selectman. One of the main points of his candidacy is the proposal to increase taxes on the property of T. W. Lawson.

He has declared his proposed policy very plainly and emphatically. Following is his statement to the voters:

"To the citizens of Scituate:

"Humanly as there has been considerable talk concerning my candidacy for the office of Selectman, and inasmuch as my friends have prevailed upon me to stand for that office, I have deemed it expedient to falsify set before the public my platform and present my views upon the issues at stake.

"The most vital of those issues seems to be the matter of economy.

Mistaken Economy.

"I believe it poor economy to haul crushed mud on to the highways of Scituate.

"I also believe it mistaken economy to employ political partisans of impudence for private use.

"I think it is not right to build a new state every year, thereby improving the property of someone who lives seven or eight miles from nowhere.

"I deem it better and cheaper for the town to require bids every year for the plowing of the public buildings.

"I believe the contract doctor should not have town for more than three or four months at a time.

"I am of the opinion that it would pay to employ a competent engineer as road surveyor, that the road surveyor should not have the privilege of employing favorites.

"I do not believe in keeping four horses idle half a day for the want of material for do I believe in allowing the road surveyor supreme power to reject the offers of Mr. T. W. Lawson's manager of accessible material to be carted free to the residents.

Disband Fire Department.

"If I am elected I will endeavor to disband the fire department as a farce and sell all the fire horses.

"I will build a court why the town should allow ground rent free for more than a reasonable number of years to the purchaser of the old East Grammar School building.

"I will determine why, in some cases, soldiers' widows are unjustly taxed in the town.

"I will get some expert appraisers to appraise the value of Dreamwold, as I firmly believe the $5,500 tax they put into the town in a year would not much more than pay the taxes on Mrs. Delia Beals and Gunie.

In other words, if I am elected every body would get a square deal. I believe reckoned that going through the town should have a covering of some sort, and I recommend that the Beaver Dam road from Bay street to the Lawson road, should be directed, thereby doing away with the expense of an overhead bridge.

To Keep Youth at Home.

"If I am elected I will endeavor to persuade some manufacturing business to locate here, and so keep the youth of Scituate at home.

"I never spent fourteen years sweeping out a bank, nor, fired by the tales of a rich Alaskan navel, left my native town for the cold, barren wastes of Alaska, but I still think I could make a fair Selectman.

"Vote for me. (Signed)

"CALEB T. JENKINS, Jr."

I love you and always will.
If you wish to break the engagement
I can only say that I have no wish
in the matter. Truly dear, you have
not seemed like my sweetheart of late.
Bertha

GIRL SUING FOR $5,000 AND HER LETTER.

O'CONNELL NOW AN ARCHBISHOP

Pope Raises Coadjutor to the Titular Rule of the See of Constance.

Bishop O'Connell of Portland, Me., recently appointed coadjutor archbishop of Boston, has been raised to the actual dignity of archbishop through the action of the Pope has been anticipated since the announcement of the appointment of Bishop O'Connell as coadjutor to Archbishop Williams.

The elevation of Bishop O'Connell to the rank of archbishop, in which position he will succeed the venerable prelate, also has so long guided the destinies of the Boston archdiocese, but for Bishop O'Connell to enjoy the rank, it was necessary for him to be archbishop of some diocese.

There could not be two archbishops of Boston, and the elevation of Bishop O'Connell to the rank was accomplished through naming the archbishop of the defunct see of Constance, made famous in history as the scene of the Council of Constance, one of the most important councils in the history of the church.

ABOLISHES DISPENSARY.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Feb. 7.—The House has passed the Morgan bill to abolish the State dispensary. The bill had already passed the Senate.

IRISH COERCION ACTS REVOKED

DUBLIN, Ire., Feb. 7.—The privy council, under the presidency of the Earl of Aberdeen, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, has decided to revoke all proclamations under the third and fourth clauses of the coercion act, thus relieving some twenty boroughs and counties throughout the country.

MERCURY 27 BELOW.

SPRINGFIELD, Vt., Feb. 7.—The weather here is the coldest for years, the thermometer registering twenty-seven below zero.

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COUNTESS DE CASTELLANE'S RIGHT TO CHILDREN SAFE, SAYS COUNSEL

Lawyer Says Separation, Not Absolute Divorce, Is All She Asks.

Does Not Intend to Prevent Her Husband From Visiting Them.

Special Cable to Boston American.

PARIS, Feb. 7.—Authoritative statements from counsel for the Countess de Castellane, who was Anna Gould of New York, and who is now seeking a separation from the prodigal husband, whose title was purchased for her by the Gould millions, make it appear that when she left the Castellane palace to go to the Hotel Bristol she had the sanction of the court. Previous stories, therefore, that she had technically abandoned her children by leaving the Count's home seems to be erroneous.

Henri Connet, Edmond Kelly, an American, acting with Maitre Cruppi, a noted French solicitor, declares that the Countess has no intention of trying to keep her children away from the Count entirely. She wants possession of the children, but is content that they shall divide their time between the father and mother. She has no intention, either, according to Mr. Kelly, of abandoning France for America, although George J. Gould of New York has urged her to go to America.

Mr. Kelly says of the situation:

Given Children Temporarily.

"It is a fact that on Thursday President Dibie, in the Court of First Instance, awarded provisional control of the children to their mother. To this end he first accorded her a legal domicile in the Hotel Bristol, from which both parties apparently before him.

"It is incumbent upon the petitioner in such cases to make out a sufficient prima facie justification, this the Countess did. Then the President, for the convenience of the mother and children, appointed as her domicile, pending trial of the suit, her own house in the Avenue Malakoff, which is known by the name 'Trianon.' The Count has withdrawn from that house, although he remains in Paris.

"It is not possible at this time to say when the case will come into court—probably not for a month, possibly not for several months.

"I do not feel at liberty to enter into any discussion of the financial side or the final settlement to be reached. I call your attention, however, to the fact that this suit is for a separation and not for a divorce, as heretofore reported. While it is true that a separation may be made a complete divorce upon the simple appeal of one party or the other, this can be done only after the expiration of three years.

"You are authorized to contradict the story that the Countess is determined to live with her children in America and never see France again. She has no such intention. She is not seeking entirely to separate father and children. She will not dispute his right of access to them.

"Indeed, she will be content if the court permits her to have them with her for a certain number of months in the year, including the time it takes to travel with them.

Avoided Reference to Women.

Mr. Kelly was careful not to refer in any way to the women's Parisian society who are said to be mentioned in connection with the Countess's suit. In fact, he said in the interview:

"It is obvious that I can tell you only what I know the Countess is not unwilling to have made public.

"There is shaping almost tragic in the newest story which is in circulation as to Count Boni's financial condition. This is that he has been compelled to sell a watch for which he paid a small fortune to supply himself with necessary pocket money. It is said that when the bicycle craze with the Countess he personal funds were sadly depleted, not an unusual occurrence with the man who has staggered the world with his extravagance, and the selling of the watch was the one thing which enables him to actually keep afloat.

"There are stories that he is besieged by creditors, and that money lenders are anxious to help him extricate himself. The possibility of there being a reconciliation. Despite the apparently final pleadings of the Castellanes it may be said authoritatively that a reconciliation is not out of the question. The breach is irreconcilable. This is the declaration made by the Countess herself and practically stated by her counsel.

"Maitre John F. Dillon, personal counsel for the Gould family, says that the Castellane suit was begun wholly on Countess Anna's own initiative. He says:

"The family had nothing to do with it. It was brought entirely on the Countess's own initiative. Of course, the Countess can rely on their sympathy and assistance in anything she does, but beyond that they have had nothing to think the family is concerned in the case as it stands at present.

"On being asked again whether, in the event of a separation, there would be any livelihood of Count Boni getting any of the Gould millions, Judge Dillon replied:

"The Countess's fortune is in New York, and I know that it cannot be touched in any event. Her interests are thoroughly safeguarded in that quarter. I have been given to understand also that the title to the Paris house on the Bois de Boulogne is in the Countess's name. Just whose the title to the furniture and works of art in the house [illegible] I do not know."

NINE MILLIONS SPENT BY COUNT IN ELEVEN YEARS

Special Cable to Boston American.

PARIS, Feb. 7.—Even if Count Boni effects a reconciliation with the Countess his income will be so cut down so as practically to extinguish one of the greatest spenders that even prodigal Paris has ever known.

If all the alimony he has received in the World titles Anna Gould's has probably been the most costly.

Reduced to cold figures, the price of her title had been approximately $2,037 each and every day for the eleven years they have been married, or the equivalent every four weeks of President Roosevelt's salary for a year.

George Gould's titled brother-in-law has hammered away until he has got of the record of $9,000,000 for the eleven years of his married life.

The Count has smilingly spent $4 for a cherry and cheerfully given enough to pay the hooded indebtedness of a small city for a piece of brie-a-brac.

One of his little foibles was a vaudeville performance given at Anteuil, when for $30 guests he presented an all-star bill, for act of which cost him less than $500.

For his world-famed mansion on the Avenue Bois de Boulogne, known as the "Red Palace," Boni spent more money than he can even accurately tell. He lived the location so well that he paid $740,000 for the land alone, and before he got through he had produced a palace that any King in Europe might envy.

Bought Yacht for $200,000.

Then he got the idea that he wanted to be a yachtsman, so he bought the yacht Valhalla for $200,000 and planned to sail her on a scale that totalled $150,000 a year. Later he had to sell this toy, but that's another part of his story.

When he was elected to the Chamber of Deputies he felt so good natured that he gave a feast that would have made Lucullus turn green with envy. The bill was $200,000. He seemed to like that amount, for it figures frequently in his accounts.

Sometimes the Count's methods were what might be questionable, and in the light of the recent scandal, it is probable that one of his little mysteries is revealed. About six years ago he presented to his wife a necklace that he had paid $100,000 for. Anna should realized how he was draining her fortune, and when she looked at the bauble she didn't think it was worth the money, so she carried it to the jewellers. She found that he took a lofty attitude and insisted that his business was with the Count.

"You have cheated my husband," she declared hotly, "and you must take this back."

Then the secret was let out. The jeweller lost his temper, and, taking the necklace in his hand, said angrily:

"If you think, Madame, I have cheated, you are wrong. When I sold this necklace to M. le Comte it had four rows of diamonds. It has but two rows now. Can Madame tell me where the other two rows are?"

Then for once, Anna Gould went home and thought it over. Possibly she knows now where the other half of the necklace went. Perhaps it may be mentioned when her divorce comes to trial.

He decided to have one of the finest clocks in France. When the art dealers heard of this they started to produce what he wanted. In the end he paid $60,000 for a Sevres creation, and it is said that for a year a clockmaker had the task of making it keep time.

$280,000 for Wardrobe.

For his Countess he bought a tortoise shell wardrobe in which Louis Seize once kept his royal robes. About $280,000 is said to have been the cost of this. In his boudoir he has the bed used by Napoleon on the night of his coronation.

One of the greatest extravagances was the purchase of the Palazzo Della Scala in Verona that he might get eleven ceilings painted by Tiepolo. Scarcely had he written his check for a gigantic sum to secure the palace when he made the artists of the world gasp by putting a force of men at work tearing it down. Tiepolo was a native Venetian who died in Spain nearly 150 years ago, and his mural decorations are enormously valuable. The Count had the ceilings cut out intact and then set up in his palace in this city.

For the pleasure of insulting President Loubet he paid $100,000 to engage Monet, the pointillion of the French republic.

These are some of the things Anna Gould has to get by on. The Countess. Given in detail the list would fill seven or eight columns of a newspaper.

Here Are Some of the Ways Castellane Made Money Fly

Bought $150,000 equipage and employed the outrider Montjarret, formerly in the service of the President of France.

Bought $60,000 clock.

Bought $280,000 antique cabinet.

Bought cherries at $4 per cherry.

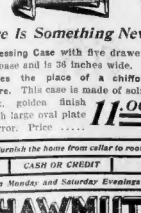
Purchased mantelpiece for $50,000.

Purchased necklace at $100,000, half of which he gave his wife.

Spent a fortune monthly on clothes.

Built the Little Trianon at $1,500,000.

DRESSING CASES



Here Is Something New

A Dressing Case with five drawers in base and is 36 inches wide. It takes the place of a chiffonniere. This case is made of solid oak, finished in dull finish with large oval plate mirror. Price **11.00**

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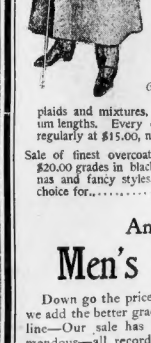

OUR active selling season is over. The mild winter has left our counters piled high with heavy overcoats. Price reductions our quickest method and we have ignored original cost in our anxiety to clear the tables. Buy now for present needs or lay aside for another season. You cannot lose.

Overcoat Special Tomorrow—400 men's strictly all-wool overcoats, regularly sold at $15.00, made of genuine Irish frieze, black and oxford, satin yoke, mohair sleeve and fancy body lining, at the special price of..... **8.75**

650 men's fine overcoats, in all wool fancy Scotch plaids and mixtures, also black long and medium lengths. Every coat new this season. Sold regularly at $15.00, now **9.50**

Sale of finest overcoats. Regular $18.00 and $20.00 grades in black, oxford kerseys, vicunas and fancy styles. You may have your choice for..... **11.50**

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Men's Fancy Vests

Down go the prices—Today we add the better grades to this line—Our sale has been tremendous—all records for vest selling broken—Take advantage of this unprecedented sacrifice and choose among a hundred styles for only

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Mail Orders Carefully Filled

BOYS DRIVE TEACHER TO QUIT SCHOOL

Threw Egg and Hit Commissioner Who Was Visiting One of the Classes.

PUPILS DEFIED DISCIPLINE

Special to the Boston American.

RUTLAND, Vt., Feb. 7.—Because of numerous pranks played by the boy pupils of the High School here, and of the inability of Professor Nelson A. Hallauer to maintain discipline, the professor tendered his resignation as teacher of science and English, and at a secret meeting of the Board of Education his resignation was accepted.

The trouble reached a climax when one of the boys threw an egg of doubtful age at the professor while School Commissioner Harvey R. Kingsley was visiting the class. The egg missed Professor Hallauer but struck the wall and spattered on the school commissioner. Several students were suspended because of this, but they have all been reinstated, and it is said that no one will be further punished.

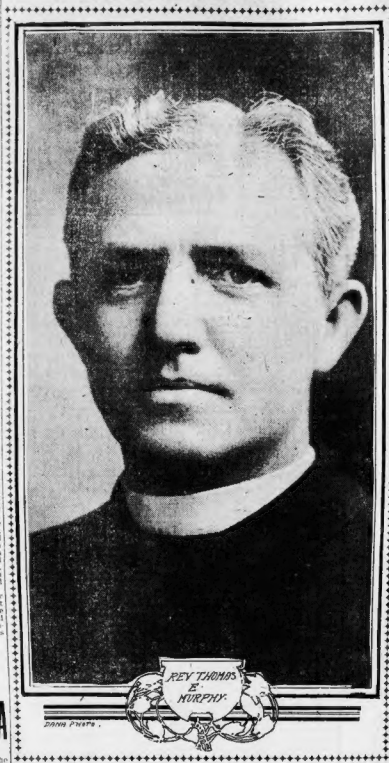
Shortly after Professor Hallauer was appointed last Fall the boys found that he was endeavoring to be a strict disciplinarian. With the perverseness of schoolboys the teacher's efforts to maintain order seemed to make them more unruly. On one occasion a lighted newspaper was shoved under a door in Mr. Hallauer's classroom and a number of the girl pupils were so badly frightened that there was almost a panic.

At another time the boys suspected that the professor was spying on them, it is said, and they tried to catch him. When they thought that he was peering through a keyhole they squirted a syringe full of ink through the keyhole. Mr. Hallauer showed no signs of having been hit by the ink.

Another prank on the part of the boys, it is reported, conceived with the idea of harrassing the teacher, was to put fine horse hairs in his bed so that he could not sleep. Mr. Hallauer did not prove to be such an easy victim, however, as the boys thought he would be. Several of their plans fell through, as when on an occasion they arranged a lot of flour in his lamp chimney so that it would spill all over him when he lighted his lamp, with another arrangement to dress him with water after the flour had covered him.

It is said that Professor Hallauer realized that he would be unable to get control of the boys, and as many of the parents of pupils became greatly exercised about the troubles in the school he considered that the best way out of it was to resign.

HOLY CROSS'S NEW HEAD TAKES UP HIS DUTIES



HOLY CROSS'S NEW PRESIDENT.

Rev. Thomas E. Murphy Succeeds Fr. Hanselman as President of Worcester College.

Special to the Boston American.

WORCESTER, Feb. 7.—The Rev. Fr. Thomas E. Murphy, S. J., the new president of Holy Cross College, commences his new duties to-day. Fr. Murphy succeeds the Rev. Fr. Joseph F. Hanselman, S. J., who has been president of the college for the past five years.

Rev. Fr. Murphy, who is now the prefect of studies, was formerly president of St. Xavier College in New York. When Fr. Hanselman was elected to the presidency of Holy Cross he succeeded him as prefect. For the present, Fr. William F. Clark, S. J., will act as prefect at the college.

The announcement of the change comes as a surprise to the college, as Holy Cross has enjoyed great prosperity during Fr. Hanselman's administration. Fr. Hanselman will be appointed Provincial upon his return from a two month's rest at Keyser Springs, Ct.

DEATH WINNER IN RACE TO HOSPITAL

Arthur Bunbary, the workman in the Readville car shops who was hit by the Woonsocket express and was then rushed to the Massachusetts General Hospital on a special train in nineteen minutes in a desperate effort to save his life, died early today in the hospital. Both his legs had to amputated, and the sufferer could not survive the shock.

FOOTBALL DEATH ROUSES VERMONT

BURLINGTON, Vt., Feb. 7.—As a result of the death of Edward S. Larned, nineteen years old, at Rutland from injuries received in a football game, action will be taken by the high school authorities in the State, and possibly by the University of Vermont, toward modifying the rules of football.

FIRST HEAVIES TO HAVE A REUNION

The First Massachusetts Heavy Artillery Association, U. S. Volunteers of 1861-1865, will have its twenty-fourth annual Winter reunion at the Quincy House, Thursday of next week. A reception will precede the dinner which is scheduled for 2 o'clock. William H. Moran of Beverly is president of the organization. Many guests are expected from other States.

NEED NOT TELL NEWS SOURCES

LONDON, Feb. 7.—The court of appeals has rendered a decision that newspapers cannot be compelled by the courts to divulge their sources of information, except under very special circumstances.

The point was raised in a libel suit against a trade paper. The lower court ordered the defendants to disclose the name of the informant in whose statement the alleged libel was based.

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PYRALINE HAIR BRUSHES—One lot slightly imperfect, white and amber Hair Brushes. Choice..... 29c

IMPORTED PINS—One lot of imported English Pins. Box containing three papers 10c

LADIES' GOLF GLOVES—A small assortment of our regular 50c worsteds, for 29c a pair..... 29c

BOYS' GRAY OXFORD GOLF GLOVES—All sizes, a regular 25c value for 19c

PATENT LEATHER BELTS—Made in the popular shaped style and comes in all sizes. Value 25c, each..... 9c

SAMPLE WRIST BAGS—Just a few samples of Wrist Bags in a variety of shapes and colors. Value up to $1.00, each 49c

6-INCH COLORED TAFFETA RIBBON—All Silk Taffeta Ribbon; a fine quality, with high lustre. All the new Spring colors, suitable for girdles, stocks and millinery. Value 38c, yard 21c

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Size.....	6x9	7½x9	9x10½
Reg price.....	34c	39c	49c
Sale price....	17c	19c	23c

O. K. Dish Drainers, basket in centre, holds knives, forks and spoons separately. You can see other advantages in this drainer. Price reduced to 29c. for this sale 29c

Strainers and Mashers, for straining and mashing fruits, vegetables, etc. Reg. price 24c., for this sale.. 15c

Extension Strainers, medium size. Regular price 13c., for this sale..... 12c

Large size. Regular price 29c., for this sale..... 15c

Wood Handled Bowl Strainer. Regular price 10c, for this sale, 5c

Wood Handled Strainers, best quality white cotton cloth, 5 sizes. Reg price 9c 10c 12c 15c 19c Sale price 4c 5c 9c 10c

Hub Tea Strainers. The kind that won't drip and are always sold for 10c, each..... 5c ea

Ordinary Wire Broilers

Size....	9x6	9x8	9x10	9x12
Reg price	8c	10c	12c	15c
Sale price	4c	6c	7c	8c

Oyster Broilers

Size....	9x6	9x8	9x10	9x12
Reg price	19c	24c	29c	34c
Sale price	12c	14c	17c	21c

Sink Strainers, same as cut. Regular price 19c., for this sale 10c

Vrooman's Strainer. Always 24c., for this sale..... 19c

Soap Savers (same as cut), hinged covers.

Regular price	12c	15c	24c
Sale price...	7c	10c	15c

Wire Soap Dishes (same as cut). Regular price 10c., for this sale..... 5c

Heavy Coat Hangers, retinned. Regular price 5c., for this sale..2 for 5c

Wire Cake Coolers. Regular 15c., for this sale..... 8c

Wire Cloth Tea Strainers. Regular price 5c., for this sale, 2 for 5c

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49c. All Silk Pongee and Louisenne Suitings. A complete line on street and evening shades, strong and lustrous and good wearing fabric, per yard 25c

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69c. Check and Stripe Louisennes, all silk and colors, per yard 39c

75c. Pongee, washable, 36 inches wide, plain and fancy, per yard 39c

$1.00 Black Guaranteed Pongee, 24 inches wide, per yard 49c

$1.00 Black Guaranteed Taffeta, 27 inches wide, per yard 49c

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WILL REPEAT BOSTON OPERA

So that the people of Boston and the suburbs may have a chance to hear Frederick S. Converse's romantic grand opera, "The Pipe of Desire," there will be a performance in Jordan Hall to-morrow night at popular prices. The performance will be identical with those of last week, as far as the cast, chorus, orchestra and stage management are concerned. The performance will begin at 8:15 p. m.

Here is an opportunity for the general public to see what Boston can do for itself in grand opera, for "The Pipe of Desire" is a home product throughout, its composer, the author of its book, the singers, the chorus, the orchestra, the stage management and the designers of the costumes all being of Boston. It is the most ambitious work of the kind ever attempted in this city, and is well worth hearing, apart from the local interest in it as a native growth.

NO JIU JITSU FOR MIDDIES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The testimony of Admiral Sands, superintendent of the Naval Academy, before the House committee on naval affairs shows that he does not think much of the jiu jitsu style of wrestling.

"I expect to make an adverse report upon the Japanese method, when I am called upon to act," he said. "With my present light I should report against this particular kind of wrestling. I do not think the Japanese method is in any way preferable to ours. A man is more apt to be injured or crippled, I think it is a trick. I think you can injure a man more serious ly, and the more you know about it, the more temptation there is to injure an adversary, and I do not think that intentional injury is the spirit of sport."

ARTIST KILLED MYSTERIOUSLY

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 7.—George Freeman, a miniature painter, is dead as the result of a mysterious shooting in a house on South Seventh street in this city.

Freeman, George Loudsbourne, of Nashville; A. J. Matthews, catcher on the Birmingham baseball team, and Dick Wray, of Birmingham, had been in the place all the morning.

The bullet entered Freeman's right side, and the pistol was afterwards found at some distance on the left. It belonged to Wray, but Freeman had it in his pocket during the morning.

Freeman leaves six sisters in Boston, among whom is Miss Jessie Freeman, famous as a painter of miniatures. He leaves a widow and child.

SAYS HE MAKES COPPER RAZORS

NEW LONDON, Ct., Feb. 7.—Frederick Morgan, a young farmer living at Lake Pond, a small village seven miles from this city, declares that he has found the long lost art of tempering copper to a degree of hardness that will make it a substitute for steel.

Arrangements have been under way to place the discovery on a commercial basis. Morgan's pet idea seems to have been to make copper razors, and after having succeeded in getting just the right temper for razors he communicated with a manufacturing concern and received word that no one wanted copper razors.

OSTRACIZED BY HER CHILDREN

Although in Same House With Her, Daughters Seldom Saw Mother.

"I have been in my mother's room about five times in five years and have not given her any food for the past four years," declared Bertha McLaughlin in the Municipal Court, where she was a witness for her father in a suit brought by her mother for non-support.

Mr. J. McLaughlin, his daughters, Mary and Bertha, and a son appeared in court and testified that for the last four years their mother, although occupying a room at the family home in Somerville, has been practically ostracized from their society. Mary and her sister Bertha were the star witnesses and testified against their mother by saying that their mother drank heavily until four years ago.

With much emotion Mr. McLaughlin told of how he stood the actions of his wife as long as possible and in utter despair gave up. "She drank for thirty years, your honor, and would drink up all the money I gave her. That is why I stopped giving her money and left the house in the care of my daughter, Mary," he declared.

After hearing the case, Judge Wentworth dismissed the bill, and the family left the court room apparently pleased at the result of the trial.

DARK DAY IN WINDY CITY

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—From early morning until afternoon a dense smudge of smoke and clouds hung over Chicago, making it one of the darkest days ever experienced here. All of the stores were lighted and street cars ran with lights lit and headlights blazing. At times it was not possible to see more than one square in any direction.

On the Board of Trade for the first time in many years there was no announcement of the price of cash wheat at the closing of the session. Dealers pronounced it impossible to determine the character of samples because of the darkness.

DELAND JONQUIL SALE SATURDAY

Margaret Deland, the author, will hold her annual Jonquil sale for charity at her residence, No. 25 Newbury street, next Saturday, from 2 to 5 o'clock. Should the weather be unpleasant the sale will be continued on Monday.

ANOTHER SHOP IN 8-HOUR LIST

Striking Printers Gain One More Firm; While Typothetae Claims Victory.

The striking union printers say that one more firm has agreed to the eight-hour workday for its book and job men, and employers say that they put nineteen more men at work in the various shops.

At the meetings of the Boston Women's Label League, Bindery Women's Union 58 and the Boston Book Binders' Union the strike of the printers was unanimously indorsed and moral and financial assistance was pledged.

A statement was issued at the office of the Boston Typothetae which gave the number of compositors at work as 957. Of the nineteen compositors who have gone to work since yesterday a number were strikers, it was claimed.

The close of the fifth day of the strike finds a total of nearly 1,200 men in the Typographical Union working on the eight-hour schedule or less, with only about 200 men on the strike roll. Of this 1,200, about 700 are on the newspapers, enjoying a seven-hour day, and nearly 500 are in the book and job branch.

The employers have never dared to print the number of men whom they have in their offices, if they have won a victory it is one over women and children, whom they can coerce into working indefinite hours for inconsiderable pay. The men printers scattered among them are few and far between, possibly a total of one in five.

TO OPPOSE ALGER.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 7.—Arthur Hill of Saginaw, a wealthy lumberman, has announced his candidacy for the United States Senate, in opposition to Senator Alger, in 1907.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

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BEAUTIFUL WOMAN BURGLAR CONFESSES DARING THEFTS

WOMAN BURGLAR NOW UNDER ARREST.

Climbed Over Transom Though Encumbered by Skirts—Many Times Took Life in Her Hands.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Feb. 7.—Olaf D. Gunnerstrom, who was arrested in Everett, Mass., and brought to this city to answer, with his wife, Helma, to charges of wholesale breaking and entering and larceny, entered a plea of not guilty in the local police court and waived examination. He was held in $2,500 and his wife's bail was raised to $2,000.

Jewelry stolen from the home of Mrs. W. F. Brown of No. 61 Pond street, Lowell, by Mrs. Gunnerstrom, has been recovered by the police. The jewelry, consisting of a gentleman's gold watch, a pair of opera glasses, two rings and a stickpin, were found in Mrs. Gunnerstrom's apartments.

Beautiful and Daring.

Exceptional personal beauty and a daring which was undaunted in the face of any personal danger combine to make Mrs. Gunnerstrom the most picturesque burglar New England has known for a long time.

The police declare that she has confessed to doing things that would have stopped a man in the playing of her profession of thefts. She is, they say, an expert with a "jimmy"; she has climbed over transoms, despite the fact that she was hampered with skirts, and she has passed through rooms where persons were asleep to get their valuables. A dozen times she has taken her life in her hands.

For the past six weeks she has been working as a servant in the house of Dr. W. R. Blackstone in Manchester. His house was one of those burglarized.

Many Burglaries.

The charges against Mrs. Gunnerstrom were in connection with burglaries in the houses of J. F. Baldwin, Lizzie McDonald and Ellen Huckins, all within two weeks. When arrested she had jewelry taken from the Baldwin house, a watch stolen at the McDonald house and a ring that was part of the booty secured at the Huckins home. Later other stolen goods were found in her room.

The woman has confessed many robberies, among them the McDonald burglary. She says that she went into the house over a transom, and in getting in caught her skirt, breaking the glass in the transom, but the noise awoke none of the occupants.

ACTED QUEERLY; NOW MISSING

Barerlo Zingariello's people at No. 97 North Margin street reported to the police to-day that Barerlo arose at 4 o'clock, went into the bathroom and hasn't been seen since.

He had on trousers, coat and socks, but no shoes, and it is feared he is wandering about in the cold with this insufficient clothing.

The police say he has been acting queerly of late.

He is twenty-eight years old, five feet six inches tall, with black, curly hair, dark complexion and small black moustache.

YALE PROFESSOR DIES OF INJURIES

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Feb. 7.—Professor John Slade Ely, who held the chair of theory and practice at the Yale Medical School the past ten years, died at the State hospital here to-day. He was injured by being thrown from his horse Monday.

GRANDCHILD OF ROCKEFELLER UNDER KNIFE

Operation for Appendicitis Performed on Six-Year-Old Muriel McCormick.

CALL DOCTOR AT MIDNIGHT

By Boston American Leased Wire.

New York, Feb. 7.—The following statement was written by Mrs. Harold F. McCormick for the BOSTON AMERICAN after she had returned to the house of her father, John D. Rockefeller, at No. 4 West Fifty-fourth street from a visit to her daughter Muriel at Roosevelt Hospital, where the six-year-old child was operated upon on Friday for appendicitis.

Mr. McCormick left for Lakewood this afternoon. Our eldest daughter, Muriel McCormick, was taken ill on Friday. She was carefully watched during the day, but it was not until 7.30 in the evening that her temperature rose above normal or any alarming symptoms appeared. Dr. E. Kingsmet Hall saw the child at 10 o'clock, and Drs. Brewer and Bull were immediately called in consultation. They diagnosed the case as appendicitis and advised operating at once. Muriel was taken to Roosevelt Hospital, where the operation was performed by Dr. Brewer.

The operation was successful. The wound was dressed yesterday, and Dr. Brewer expressed satisfaction at the general condition.

MRS. HAROLD F. McCORMICK.

Is Resting Comfortably.

Dr. Brewer declared that everything had gone as well as could be expected so far. It was stated at the hospital, too, that the little sufferer was resting quietly and bearing the critical stage of the illness well.

The statement of Mrs. McCormick, while expressing in a way the intense relief that came to her with the knowledge that the hasty operation upon her eldest child had been successfully performed, can hardly tell of the present state of suspense that the mother who has twice been bereaved of her children feels, and the terrible hours of mental suffering she went through when she learned another of her offspring stood in the shadow of death.

That the case of Muriel McCormick was a most critical one when Drs. Hall and Brewer were hurried to the Rockefeller mansion in the dead of night is shown by the fact that they did not deem it possible to wait for daylight to remove the patient's vermiform appendix.

The dressing of the wound on Monday was one of the most critical moments in the history of the case. The appearance of the opening the surgeon had made gave every hope, however, that a favorable outcome might be reached. Accidents feared if nothing unexpected happens. It is understood that the little girl was in good health until this sudden attack occurred, a fact that is much in her favor in the present crisis. If all goes well, the patient will not be in the hospital more than three weeks. It is understood a trip to Europe her parents were about to take together with her younger brother and herself has been postponed.

SAY NEW CAR FENDER WORKS

Two prominent business men of Rudolph, George F. Taylor and Peter B. Sullivan, have devised an automatic car fender which they assert is a most perfective of accidents on electric cars.

In tests in North Adams Mr. Taylor stood on the track in front of an approaching car. When within a few inches of the car's fender, picked him up and proceeded on its way. The test was made in the presence of a member of Massachusetts railroad commission.

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Wellesley Grads on a Tour of Europe Seized by Sultan's Soldiers and Jailed.

EXPLANATIONS DEMANDED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Miss Ethel Storm, daughter of Ex-Surrogate Storm of Buffalo, and Miss Anna Snyder of Cedar Rapids, Ia., recent Wellesley graduates, while travelling in Turkey, were recently arrested and detained in a Turkish prison by the soldiers of the Sultan.

Congressman Ryan of Buffalo has made a formal complaint of the treatment accorded these young women.

On landing from the steamer at Constantinople they were placed under arrest and thrown into a prison, in which there were criminals and political prisoners.

They were detained two days and then released. No explanation was given to them. They were so badly frightened by their experience that they left Turkey immediately.

Secretary Root promises an immediate investigation of the matter, and said it was the first of the indignities offered American citizens in Turkey in some years. He said he did not think, in view of this, it would be just to censure the American consul-general at Berlin for having advised the young women that it would be safe for them to travel in Turkey.

SAW BURGLAR TAKE HER GEMS

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—A burglar early to-day looted the home of Leopold Worms, a retired banker and capitalist, of No. 6 West Seventy-first street, of $5,000 worth of jewelry. Miss Carrie Wormser, aroused from sleep, watched the man as he robbed the jewelry case in her room.

Then she cried out, and her father, armed with a revolver, followed the burglar into the parlor of the house, where the man made his escape by leaping out of a parlor window.

$50,000 FOR HOME.

FAIRFIELD, Me., Feb. 7.—The Good Will Farm for Boys has received a gift of $50,000 from Edwin Bancroft Foote of New York. Of this amount $10,000 is to be used in building a home for boys, to be known as the Bancroft Foote House.

RUNNING SORES COVERED LIMBS

Little Girl's Obstinate Case of Eczema — Instantaneous Relief By Cuticura — Little Boy's Hands and Arms Also Were a Mass of Torturing Sores — Grateful Mother Says:

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"In July of this year a little boy in our family poisoned his hands and arms with poison oak, and in twenty-four hours his hands and arms were a mass of torturing sores. We used only the Cuticura Remedies, washing his hands and arms with the Cuticura Soap, and anointed them with the Cuticura Ointment, and then gave him the Cuticura Resolvent. In about three weeks his hands and arms healed up; so we have lots of cause for feeling grateful for the Cuticura Remedies. We find that the Cuticura Remedies are a valuable household standby, living as we do twelve miles from a doctor, and where it costs from twenty to twenty-five dollars to come up on the train. Respectfully, Mrs. Lizzie Vincent Thomas, Fairmount, Walden's Ridge, Tenn., Oct. 13, 1905."

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10,000 American Made Rugs

American Made Rugs.

10,000 American Made Rugs, in fact, every rug in our stock which has been here for two months or over, must be cleared out to make room for great quantities of new goods which will soon arrive. This sale will include every discontinued pattern and odd rugs of every description; also rugs which have been slightly stained or are imperfect in the smallest detail, will be sold from one-third to one-half less than the regular retail value.

Best 3-frame Body Brussels Rugs—in a large assortment, which have been marked in our stock at $28.50 and $32.00, are reduced to **$18.75**

Best Frame Royal Wilton Rugs—what we have left regardless of loss—for this sale at **$29.75**

8 ft. 3 x 10 ft. 6 Royal Wilton Rugs—actual worth $35.00 each— in this sale at **$26.75**

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This particular weave is more like regular Oriental rugs than any other reproduced by American looms. In fact the designs, colorings and textures are so nearly like Eastern rugs that only an expert can detect the difference. These have been marked in our stock at $24.75—some as high as $30.00—for this sale every remaining rug has been priced at **$16.50**

Axminster Rugs

500 Small Axminster Rugs, sizes 27 by 63, real worth $2.75. For this sale **$1.95**

500 Rugs, same quality as the above, except that they are in mottled designs, and worth about $2.25 apiece. For this sale **$1.25**

A large assortment of all wool Art Squares in every desirable size at the lowest possible prices consistent with quality, design and coloring.

Extra Size Domestic Rugs

Hotel Proprietors, Churches and Institutions should be attracted by these extraordinary values in extra size domestic rugs, sizes 10 ft. 6x14 ft; real worth $50.00 each; our price for this sale **$39.75**

Extra Size Superest Rugs, size 9 by 14, regular worth $45.00; our price for this sale..**$26.75**

Extra Quality Smyrna, size 10 ft., 6 by 10, regular worth $30.00; our price for this sale **$12.50**

Tapestry Brussels and Wilton Velvet Rugs

One large pile of rugs, including Tapestry Brussels, Wilton Velvets and a number of other weaves, have been marked, regardless of quality, at one price. There are a number in this pile actually worth $27.00 each. The designs are Oriental. The colors are subdued and in good taste.

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American Smyrna Rugs, sizes 4x7, have been marked in our stock at $5.75. In this sale **$2.95**

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Clearance sale of 10,000 yards of Carpets, including Royal Wilton velvet, best 5-Frame Body Brussels, all the best makes of Tapestry Brussels, such as Dobson, Roxbury, Smith and others, at a bona-fide reduction of a third to a half less than the regular selling prices. Every odd roll, every design that we shall not reorder, and in fact every yard of carpet that has remained overtime, must be sold.

Royal Wilton Velvet Carpet, in a large assortment of designs and colors regular worth $1.35 a yard; our price for this sale, a yard **87½c**

Best 5-Frame Body Brussels Carpet including a number of the most popular weaves of the above goods made in this country, which have been sold by us and a number of other dealers at $1.65 a yard, in this sale at a yard **$1.12½**

Tapestry Brussels Carpet, including the best weaves of the country, such as Roxbury, Sanfords and others—previously advertised and sold by us at $1.10 a yard; in this sale, a yard **69c**

Linoleums and Oilcloth

Scotch Linoleums

10,000 yards of 4-yard wide Imported Scotch Linoleums, one of the most durable floor coverings ever made, worth 85c. a yard everywhere, in this sale, per square yard **55c**

1000 yards of extra heavy quality of inlaid Linoleum, worth $1.50 a yard, slightly imperfect and consequently, a yard, square yard **79c**

Two-Yd.-Wide Linoleums

5000 yards of 2-yard wide Linoleum, extra heavy quality, in a tremendous assortment of designs and colors, worth ordinarily 65c. and 75c. a yard; in this sale at **49c**

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Inlaid Linoleums

800 yards of very fine quality inlaid Linoleum, consisting of remnants left over from heavy selling during the season, and containing from 3 to 20 sq. yds., marked in stock in the full roll at $1.15 a yd., in this sale, square yard **49c**

Floor Oilcloths

Extra heavy quality of Oil Cloth, durable for kitchen, halls and dining rooms, price for this sale per sq. yd. **29c**

150 Remnants of various grades of Oil Cloth, containing from 4 to 20 yds. ea. as they last, a yd. **14c, 22c**

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LAWSON STILL ON GOVERNOR HUNT IN WEST

Addresses Iowa Legislature and Asks Governor Cummins to Act on Committee.

AFTER JOHNSON TO-DAY

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 7.—Thomas W. Lawson of Boston to-day calls upon Governor Johnson of Minnesota at St. Paul to ask him to serve on a committee of five distinguished reformers to which he will turn over his New York Life and Mutual Life of New York proxies, and which he asks to attend the coming annual meetings of these two life insurance companies for the purpose of electing honest and sound business men as directors.

He was in this city yesterday, addressed the Legislature by invitation and called upon Governor Albert B. Cummins to ask him to serve upon the insurance committee. To-day he goes also to Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin, Governor Folwell of Utah and Governor Pomerene of Ohio. The Governor told Mr. Lawson that he would give him a definite answer after conferring with Governor Johnson of Minnesota.

The proxies are so worded that Mr. Lawson cannot vote them himself. He must turn them over to a committee of responsible, responsible men, to be selected by him. Such committee will attend the annual meetings and vote the proxies.

JACK HAVLIN, FIGHTER, DEAD

Jack Havlin, the well-known North End featherweight, is dead. He was forty-eight years old.

He made his first appearance as a boxer on the West End Club, where he fought Dexter Kelly six rounds to a draw. His next opponent was Marcellus Baker, a clever lightweight, in a six-round bout, which resulted in a draw. He next defeated Jack Williams, an English featherweight, in a six-round bout.

Havlin was unable to secure another match until Jan. 20, 1887, when he met like Weir in a bout with skin gloves in the woods at Walpole, Mass.

This was one of the longest fights of his career. For nine rounds the two men pummelled each other unmercifully and there being no decision either during the reference declared it a draw after sixty-one rounds had been fought.

His last appearance in the ring was in April, 1888, when he met Jack Dempsey the Young Heenan in eight rounds at the Lafayette A. C. at the North End.

RANG ALARM TO PROVE FIREMEN

LOWELL, Feb. 7.—At the hearing before the council committee investigating Fire Richardson Bloomer made a vigorous defense of the department.

"My men never worked harder than at the Richardson Hotel fire," he said, "and if the fire were to occur again I do not think they could do any better. The Back-bone system requires only one man to handle it and there were only five there, but the only delay in raising the extension ladder was because of the wires."

In order to justify the excellency of the department Chief Hosmer, at the order of the City Council committee of investigation, at midnight, sent in a general alarm and called out every piece of apparatus in the city.

The committee held watches on the different apparatus and expressed themselves as satisfied with the response.

NEWS OF LABOR

Ten marble workers have gone on strike at the Howard Trust Company's building at Cambridge. The strike was caused by the Derby Desk Company giving the marble contract to H. Butler, who insisted on the men working two hours a day. The headquarters of the strikers are at No. 18 Arlington street, this city, and a meeting of the Marble Workers' Union will be held to-morrow night at the Tremont street to take action on the matter.

OUT FOR EIGHT HOURS.

Bookbinders' Union is to declare for the eight-hour day in the near future, it was announced at the meeting last night. Arrangements are now being levied for the inauguration of the movement at the time.

The strike of the printers for the eight-hour day is noteworthy in view of the candidates for Board of Selectmen at Revere who denounced for his antagonism to trades unionism. A committee was appointed to draft resolutions to-day. Ten new candidates were admitted to membership.

AID CARNEY HOSPITAL.

Twenty-five dollars was donated to the Carney Hospital at the meeting of Pipe Engineers' Union No. 104, last night. The elected officers were installed, as follows: President, Edward F. Sullivan; vice president, John A. Linthorp; financial secretary, Charles Allen; treasurer, John Burbank; recording secretary, John P. Simonds; sergeant-at-arms, Joseph Hayes. Arrangements were completed for the ball to be held on the evening of Dec. 19. Charlestown, next Monday evening. A committee is in charge of the affair consisting of P. Donovan, chairman; John F. Kelly, John Mahoney, Edward Hayes, John G. Mastrogor, James Scott, William Barnard, Walter Allen, Joseph Hayes, James D. Hammond and Edward Lonigan.

STEAMFITTERS ELECT.

The Steamfitters' Union of Boston, Local No. 537, of Steamfitters Helpers' Union. The other officers chosen are: Vice-president, Patrick Scott; financial secretary, Richard E. Kneeland; financial secretary, Richard Cassidy; treasurer, Thomas Hughes; collector, John J. Driscoll; guard, Arthur Fulliner.

LABOR NOTES.

Electrical Workers' Union No. 104 has voted financial aid to the members of Poughkeepsie Union No. 296, who are on strike.

John E. Fox, business agent of Carpenters' Union No. 33, has been indicted by the grand jury on two of the board of managers of the carpenters' home to be erected by the city.

Fifty men employed at a shop in this city became members of Machinists' Lodge No. 264 last night's meeting.

Jacob Sonnenberg, agent of the Hebrew Bakers' Union, spoke at last night's meeting of Cabinet Makers' and Mill Hands' Union No. 2265, at No. 19 Canal street.

STOMACH ON THE BRAIN.

What if a Man Gain the Whole World and Lose His Appetite?

The man with a well-behaved stomach never thinks about it. He eats what he likes and likes what he eats. He knows he'll enjoy it, because he knows he has a stomach that will easily digest it. All things look good to him; he will sit down to the table and with a merry twinkle in his eye and a world-peace expression, he will "start" on the delicious meal before him.

But the man with the bad, brashy, gurgly stomach is the man who is always thinking about it. He will seldom eat what he most likes, and seldom likes what he eats. His stomach worries him before and after meals and between meals. It is on his brain. It robs him of his cheer and interferes with his work. It goes around him in a dark spirit which presses itself forward in his thoughts, crying: "I am agony; I am disgust; I am dyspepsia." I am sickness, languor, worry. I am conceived in put-out humors and pappy food, and nourished by gulpy meals. I am born of their force and the bodies of their life. I steal away their nerve and vim. I bring heart disease and apoplexy. I make the world a pit of weariness and darkness. I am woe. I am death. I am dyspepsia. But say, I bring also hope and the fullest health, because by my gloomy presence I give you warning and a chance to escape me."

This is a bad dream, but it is the daily dream of the dyspeptic. If it were not for the whirr of digestion we'd tell the black. If it were not for dyspepsia we couldn't know the joy, the happiness of a well-behaved digestion. All the world looks bright to a man of good health, and good health is impossible without a good, hardy stomach. And any man's stomach, weak or strong, can be made a good, strong one by just taking something which will digest your food for you, instead of letting your tired stomach do it. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the most effective little tablets in the world for this very thing. If you feel bloated after eating, or you have nausea, aversion to food, heavy distress in the stomach, heartburn or dyspepsia, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will stop it before

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COLLIE DOG OUTRUNS A TRAIN

Wishaw Warlock, Daily Rival of Locomotive at Cummington Street, City,

OWNED BY SOCIETY LEADER

The remarkable spectacle of a collie dog running a race with a railroad train and winning the race can be seen nearly every morning on Cunnington street, a Back Bay thoroughfare that runs parallel with the Boston & Albany railroad just West of the Hotel Buckminster.

The collie, whose name is Wishaw Warlock, is fashionably bred and is owned by a prominent young society woman of Boston. At present the dog is boarding at some animal hospital on Cunnington street and each morning he is taking exercise in the manner that he runs his races with the train.

When the outbound train reaches the Beacon street bridge it has acquired full speed from its last stop at Trinity Place station. As the locomotive thrusts its head under the bridge Wishaw Warlock is ready for the race and, leaving away on even terms with the head of the train the dog is off like a flash.

The course is about three hundred yards as Cunnington street ends abruptly against the front of a large stable. But the dog outruns the train and arrives at the end of the street ahead of the locomotive.

It is a sight for the gods to see him run. Close to the ground, his long, shaggy coat fluttering like banting in the wind and with a most graceful motion he covers the ground like a race horse. After winning his race he trots back to the head of the street and waits for the next train to come along.

COLLIE DOG THAT RACES A BOSTON & ALBANY RAILROAD TRAIN EVERY DAY AND WINS.

CRIGER SURE HE CAN'T PLAY

GOSHEN, Ind., Feb. 7.—Lou Criger is somewhat improved to-day. The doctor says he has a form of spinal meningitis that succeeds his living in the South permanently, the climatic conditions here being injurious to him. His nervous system is affected and it is now practically certain he cannot play ball the coming season.

M'GARRY DREW WITH MEYERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Andy McGarry of Mort Haven and Jew Meyers of Bath more figured in the windup at the Morrisania A. C. for three rounds. It was one of the best bouts decided in New York in some time. The contest went the limit and the outcome was a draw.

HARVARD TO MEET OLD ELI

Rival Basketball Teams Clash At Cambridge This Evening.

ROCKWELL WON'T PLAY

A record crowd is expected at the Hemenway Gymnasium to-night, when the Harvard and Yale basketball teams clash. Harvard's players are big, experienced men, while the Yale players are mostly novices.

Much surprise is expressed at Cambridge as the name of Captain Rockwell does not appear in the lineup. The reason is not known.

The lineup:

HARVARD.		YALE
Quayle, Lf.		Lf., Nowe
Gregory, Rf.		Rf., Barrows
Capen, c.		c., Hoyt
Burnham, Lg.		Lg., Mosher
Griffiths, Rg.		Rg., Andrews

SEITZ CAN'T RUN AT B. A. A

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Because he has represented Georgetown University in athletics for four years, the limit under the Georgetown code, Charles J. Seitz, the American champion indoor sprinter, was declared ineligible to ever again compete under the blue and gray. He was entered to run an invitation fifty-yard dash at the Boston Athletic Association games next Saturday evening, but the ruling of the local faculty will compel him to cancel the engagement, unless the rules for some athletic club.

NOLAN WANTS TO LET THE $2,000 FIGHT FORFEIT GO AS SIDE BET IN NELSON'S GO WITH M'GOVERN

Billy Nolan feels hurt over the evil opinions of him in the newspapers and elsewhere for not sooner posting the forfeit of $2,000 for the match between Battling Nelson and Terry McGovern, and in a letter he has just produced his mind entirely of its weight of woe.

Furthermore Billy Nolan says that Joe Humphreys, Terry's manager, is a four flusher, and he wants to bet Joe any amount he likes that McGovern will take the count before his remains are cut.

Nolan requests that section 8 of the articles be published. It is as follows:

"The said Nelson and McGovern each agrees to post the sum of $2,000 with T. H. Murphy—$1,000 for weight and $1,000 for appearance. Said forfeits must be in the hands of the stakeholder, the said T. H. Murphy, not later than February 10, 1906. The said Henry D. Edwards also agrees to post the club's forfeit on or before the said date."

Billy Came to Time.

Nolan came to time with his $2,000 ten days before the expiration of the period mentioned, so he is sustained in his objection to being "rounded" by the newspapers, Joe Humphreys or anybody else.

"Of course," says Nolan, "Joe is very confident that McGovern will win, and will punch Battling full of holes. Now if Humphreys is so sure of it I'll ask him to name the amount he will wager, and as soon as he does I will cover it, and the forfeits can go up and stand as a separate bet on the side bet. We will cover any amount he names.

"But the betting is our dollar to a copper cent that he wants no side bet, just the same as he would not listen to the proposition of the winner to take all. He always is playing to the gallery at all times. Of course he will probably offer as an excuse that this is only six rounds, and that there will be no decision, but he can bet your life on it that either Nelson or McGovern will take the count before the gong sounds for the end of the sixth round. Now I hope Humphreys will put up or shut up. If he has an ounce of gameness in his makeup he'll show his hand. This will certainly determine whether Battling Nelson's manager or the one who indirectly manages and accompanies Terry McGovern is on the level.

His Forfeit Always Ready.

"My forfeit was always ready and in the hands of the stakeholder. The first time we were matched McGovern failed to put up, after being notified by wire several times. The match was finally declared off, and the second time the club failed to comply, hence the switch to the National Athletic Club.

"Nelson will close his theatrical dates on February 17. Then he will take a rest at some good country place for two weeks, and during the remaining two weeks he will hard training. When he enters the ring he will be in condition to go ten hard rounds and when ready for a battle engagement, and the followers of the game can be assured they will see a fight if he is beaten."

UNIVERSITY CITY MILL CALLED OFF

Local sports will no doubt be disappointed to learn that the Cambridge A. A. has decided to indefinitely postpone the hard road race for Suffolk and Terry Martin, scheduled for Friday. The directors of the club say that the boxing game is not killed in Cambridge, but will start up again just as soon as the Mayor and chief of police are assured that the clubs will keep within the law.

It has been decided by the chief of police and Mayor to withdraw the charges brought against the Middlesex A. A. The officials of that club and the principals at the last meeting will be soon summoned to appear in court to-morrow.

MICHIGAN TO KEEP FOOTBALL AND 'HURRY UP'

Special to the Boston American.

ANN ARBOR, Feb. 7.—It was practically decided unanimously by the Michigan University Senate to retain "Hurry Up" football in spite of the recommendations of the recent Chicago Football Conference, which voted solidly against professional coaches who were not faculty members.

The proposal made by the University of Chicago to drop the game for two years was defeated by a decisive vote. It was decided to accept the Chicago conference recommendation for a three year eligibility rule, but as the University of Michigan the rule is not to be retroactive, that is, it will not prevent a student who entered college under former conditions. This rule will save some of Michigan's best players.

GOOD PRELIMS AT CHELSEA SWAT CLUB

Some of the best preliminaries ever arranged in this vicinity are scheduled to be pulled at Pythian Rink, Chelsea, next Monday night.

The opening bout, of six rounds, will have George Murray of Lynn facing Johnny Ahern of South Boston.

In the semi-final, of eight rounds, Tommy Quill of Brockton will meet Tommy Devine of Jamaica Plain. The bout of the evening will be fifteen rounds to a decision between Jimmy Walsh, the bantam champion of New England, and Johnny Reagan of St. Louis. This contest is the first that Walsh has appeared at in years when the membership assessment has made it possible for all of the club members to attend.

There will be a referee to a decision, with Maffit Flaherty as referee.

FIRST CAGE WORK FOR HOLY CROSS BALL NINE

Special to the Boston American.

WORCESTER, Feb. 7.—The first cage work of the year for the candidates of the Holy Cross baseball team was held yesterday afternoon in the outdoor cage, nearly all of last year's men and a large number of new recruits responding to the call issued by Manager Quinn. The cage work was held under the guidance of Dr. Patrick Carney of Roxbury, who will coach the team throughout the season.

The various candidates were given preliminary instructions by the coach after which light batting practice was indulged in for nearly an hour.

Of last year's team those reporting were O'Drain of Philadelphia and Mansfield of Randolph, Mass.; Carrigan of Lewiston, Me., and Lefevre of Palmdale, Pa., catchers; Captain Flynn of Providence, R. I., first base; Hoey of Boston, first field, and Cahill of Charlton, Mass., centre field. It is expected that Hogerty of Worcester, Cashen, second baseman; Barry, shortstop, and Emmons, third baseman of last year's team will report for practice the latter part of the week.

Among the new men who reported for cage work are Captain Fraser of Pittsburg, of whom much is expected this season, McCarthy of Boston, O'Brien of South Boston, and Riley of Waltham, pitchers; Fred Flynn of Providence, R. I., substitute infielder of last year's varsity nine; Reidy of Winsted, Ct., substitute outfielder of last year; Larkin of Northampton and Galvin of Boston, who are out for the right fielder position, left vacant by the graduation of Riley, last June.

M is the belief of Coach Carney that with last year's team practically intact, with the exception of Riley, outfielder, and Pitchers Spring and O'Rourke, the matter of final conditioning and rounding year will be a matter easy to be accomplished, owing to the superb manner in which the team played together the latter part of last season. Hence the attention of the coach will be directed more particularly to the all-round work of the batting, in which respect some of the members of the Holy Cross varsity of last season showed themselves slightly weak. Much attention will also be given to the large force of new pitchers and it is hoped from the promising calibre of several of the new men, together with Mansfield, Hogerty and O'Brien of last year's team to back the most competent staff of nine artists that has represented Holy Cross many years.

Cage practice will be indulged in three days each week.

THOROUGHBREDS TO HAVE BUSY YEAR

There will be no lack of thoroughbred horses in the East during the coming racing season, and from present indications it will surpass any year in the history of the sport, both from a financial and a racing standpoint. The closing of the tracks in Missouri, Illinois and Indiana, the attempt to end racing in Tennessee, with the mixup between the American Turf Association and the Western Jockey Club, have caused the owners of large and small stables in the West to rub their eyes and ask, "Where are we at?"

At present racing is allowed in Louisiana, where the two rival tracks are hard at it in New Orleans; in Arkansas, where there is talk of more turf war; in Kentucky and Tennessee, but in the latter State everything waits upon the decision of the Supreme court. Should that body overrule the decision of the lower court horsemen will have to look elsewhere for a place to race, as this will mean the closing of the tracks at Nashville and Memphis, the latter being one of the best paying tracks operated in the South.

A few days ago a bill was introduced in the Kentucky Legislature aimed at race tracks and poolrooms, and heavy penalties are provided for any violation of any sort. If this bill passes there will be many stop racing in Kentucky, which would mean the closing of the tracks at Lexington, Latonia, Churchill Downs and Douglas Park. Should this happen, the sport in the West would receive a body-blow, and there would be only one thing for horsemen owners to do, and that is race their horses on the Eastern course or ship them to Canada to be cured over the Canadian circuit.

The East is amply provided with tracks, having important clubs at Aqueduct, Belmont, Jamaica, Belmont Park, Gravesend, Brighton Beach, Sheepshead Bay and Saratoga. With them are the lesser courses for second grade horses at Narragansett, Salem, Pimlico, Kenilworth Park, in Buffalo, and perhaps Albany. Meetings also will be held on the Canadian circuit, which includes Montreal, Toronto, Fort Erie, Highland Park and Windsor.

There are many owners, jockeys and trainers of horses in the West who would not be allowed to race with the jockey clubs in the East, and as their applications will have to come under the watchful eye of the stewards, only the best will be allowed to race, thus eliminating "pikers" and their horses. The forfeit rule, which is still good in the East, will be a big help to the many owners would have to be compelled to observe their obligations before their entries were accepted.

RACE MEETING AT READVILLE AUGUST 20-25

At a meeting of the directors of the New England Trotting Horse Breeders' Association, the following early closing events were decided upon:

No. 1—The Blue Hill, 2:30 class, trotting, $4,500, divided, $1,650 to first, $900 to second, $750 to third in each race.

No. 2—The Massachusetts, 2:14 class, trotting, $6,000, divided, $2,100 to first, $1,200 to second, $900 to third in each race.

No. 3—The Dorchester, 2:10 class, trotting, $3,000, divided, $1,050 to first, $300 to second, $750 to third in each race.

Nos. 4—The Readville, 2:08 class, trotting, $3,000, divided, $750 to first, $200 to second, $100 to third in each race.

No. 5—The Norfolk, 2:08 class, pacing, $3,000, divided, $700 to first, $300 to second, $100 to third in each race.

No. 6—The Neponset, 2:06 class, pacing, $3,000, divided, $750 to first, $200 to second, $100 to third in each race.

The above events will be decided at Readville the week of August 20-25, under an agreement with the horsemen. The $27,000 will be decided on the dash system of racing. In each event there will be three distinct races.

SAYS JEWETT HAS BEEN MISINFORMED

It is apparent that the New England Breeders' Association is making the other members of the Grand Circuit squirm with its announcement of 5 per cent. entrance to the purses and nothing additional from money winners.

This is a radical change from the rule that has prevailed through the circuit of charging 5 per cent. to nominators and then dock those who were lucky enough to win a share of the purses an extra 5 per cent. from their winnings.

Secretary Jewett made the statement at the luncheon given to the press at the A. A. A. A. during Buffalo week for an example some of the horsemen who won money in the races were obliged to pay as much as 37 per cent., entrance fees, which, under the advanced move of the New England Breeders' Association, could not happen.

At the New York horse sale last week the horsemen from all parts of the country discussed favorably over the Readville plan and the money it would save them in consigning their horses.

While there is no way the tracks can exactly limit the amount money by raising the 5 per cent. additional from winners, it is understood that Secretary Jewett has worked C. R. Hemley, secretary and treasurer of the Buffalo association, to such a pitch that he writes the following:

"I was somewhat surprised to read what appeared in the Boston Herald. It is from Mr. Jewett regarding my track. It is absolutely incorrect. I am not calling this matter up for any newspaper controversy, nor writing this letter for publication, but I do think that, under the circumstances, a brief correction should be made, as such things, if unexplained, are bound to injure the Buffalo Associa tion.

"I am inclosing an entry blank, and have marked in red ink around the coupon governing entrance fee at our meeting last October. In a 2:12 class that was in the money the entrance could pay as much as 37 per cent., exclusive of the five per cent. on $6000, and if he did not get in the money division in the succeeding heats he paid no entrance at all, outside of the part in which he finished in the money division. Of course, it is understood that this does not refer to the 5 per cent. to enter.

GREENDALE PARK FAIR NEXT FALL

Special to the Boston American.

WORCESTER, Feb. 7.—At the meeting of the trustees of the Worcester Agricultural Society here it was decided to go ahead with another fair at Greendale Park next Fall, and they will make an effort to have the New England Fair auditor with here in a joint exhibition, as was the case last year.

It will be a three-day affair, opening on Labor Day, in September. Due to the wet weather last year the fair lost several thousands of dollars in the hole, but it is not expected that such hough luck can follow the association regularly.

It was the general sentiment of the trustees that the racing features of the fair must be braced up considerably, and that sufficiently large purses must be offered in order to attract good fields of horses, and that there must be racing on all three days.

Last year there was racing on two days and the effort to get a sufficient number horses on the track in front of the grand stand, which is not attractive to seven by the spectators. The society will likely make a horse show, one of a big feature this year.

The diversity of opinion among the trustees in the past has caused the purses of from $400 to $500 to be divided in the side the classes were filled. In some instances it has been necessary to secure the local horses at the track in training to make up a respectable field, and a big feature this year.

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RUNNER SHRUBB TURNED DOWN

According to the English sporting exchanges which arrived yesterday the English Amateur Athletic Association held an important meeting recently. Montague Shearman, K. C. presided, and the appeal case of A. Shrubb of the South London Harriers, the great distance runner and record holder, permanently suspended on September 29 last, occupied considerable time.

Shrubb appeared before the meeting and after an examination the appeal was disallowed. It is understood that the ruling body is not acting on mere hearsay in the Shrubb case, and the officials are in possession of facts which, if exposed, would smother any attempts to whitewash the affair as being an amateur. The general belief in English athletic circles is that the South Londoner has little chance of ever being reinstated.

The question of the 5,000 frane contribution by the Greeks to defray the expenses of an English team for the Olympian games was discussed. It was decided that the contest being a bona fide international one, it was perfectly lawful to receive some of the money sent direct to the competitors. England will be represented by a big team. Nearly all the college cracks are preparing to go.

HOLY CROSS VICTOR.

WORCESTER, Feb. 7.—The Holy Cross basketball five won a hard-earned victory over Worcester Polytechnic Institute by a score of 24 to 18. The energy of both teams was stimulated by a strong local rivalry, and the excitement was intense, especially in the first half, which ended by a score of 7 to 6 in favor of Holy Cross.

Notes of the Diamond.

Bob Ingersoll has been unable to secure his release from the Boston Nationals, and as he refuses to give up the idea of managing the Newcastle, Penn., team in the Ohio-Pennsylvania League, he will not play baseball this season.

Wood was released by Manager Stallings on the effort that all American League clubs would draft Hill. Hill is a fine fielding Washington third baseman, and that he belonged to Buffalo. While it has been confidently expected by all that Buffalo would secure Hill, there was some question as to whether Joe Cantillon, Nops of the Washington club, ordered all waivers on the part of the Buffalo club. Hill is a native of Buffalo.

George Stone, the hard hitting St. Louis outfielder declares he will commit homicide if any one tries to take his batting championship away from him with a close finish next season. While he was leading the league with a batting average of .358 late last season, he was batting .400 during the latter part of the season. The things the fans said to him about that watchful eye of his were unprintable, but they all knew he was batting .400 with that eye closed, and a batting average of .358 with that eye open. Stone is a big, husky fellow, and he has been hitting the ball hard this winter.

Ed Reulbach does not believe in pitchers going to the training camps early. Ed doesn't deem it worth while to get into shape until the season is about to open. He is manager of the Chicago Cubs.

Sunday baseball in Kentucky is doomed if the Legislature endorses a recommendation that a bill be introduced to legalize it. The bill for abolishment was referred to the committee favors the measure and it is considered certain that it will be reported favorably to the House to enact the bill into law.

Tom Hughes of the new baseball league will be a big factor in the race for the pennant. Hughes, who, in his younger days, was one of the best bowlers in Youngstown, O., this Winter, he has been playing at Miami Beach, Fla., and has developed a big league arm.

Harry Howell will again pitch for the St. Louis Browns. Speaking of the addition for many having he followed the plan proposed by Jimmy Callahan, which provides for a big fine at field angles with the idea the idea being that all foul tips back of this line is to be counted as strikes.

There is not a better living who can interpret Johnny Dobbs, Brooklyn's outfielder, has been engaged to coach the baseball candidates for the Mount St. Mary's school team, at Emmitsburg, Md.

There are no less than thirty leagues looking to harmony under the national agreement, the two big leagues of America and National having affiliated. This gives the big fellows twenty-eight leagues from which to draw players, and it is expected that the first class ill players and take no more than $1,000 for Class A players and take only one player from a team.

The new class A teams are the American Association, Western, Pacific Coast and Southern Leagues.

The new B leagues are six in number, being the Central, Tri-State, New England, Three I, Northwestern and New York State Leagues. The C leagues are seven in number, being the Western Association, Ohio and Pennsylvania, South Atlantic, Texas, South Texas and South Atlantic.

DOUGHERTY TO MEET GARDNER

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 7.—Jimmie Gardner, of Lowell, and Jack Dougherty, of Milwaukee, are practically matched to fight here on February 16. Gardner is now on his way here from the East. The question of weight is unsettled, there being a difference of a pound or two in weight, but this will be adjusted to-day.

BROWN SEVEN AT CAMBRIDGE

Harvard will meet Brown at hockey this afternoon at 3:30 on the Stadium rink in the Intercollegiate league series. The game is in Cambridge and the only one scheduled for here. The ice is in splendid condition. Team play has been developed and the Harvard seven is smoothly working, there being a difference of a pound or two in weight, but this will be adjusted to-day.

"EMERGENCY" WON MILL

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—At the Sharkey A. C. special show, Emergency Kelly of Boston and Johnny Allen of New York figured in a welterweight bout. They mixed it up continually and at the end Kelly had scored enough points to win.

M'LAUGHLIN 400, CUTLER, 159

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 7.—Ned McLaughlin, of New York, defeated Cutler, of Boston, in the inter-city billiard tourney, 400 to 159. Cutler was in bad form and slipped up on many easy shots.

EMERSON WINNER.

Emerson defeated Campbell by twenty-five buttons in the class A amateur billiard tournament at the Hub rooms. It was a close contest all the way.

WESLEYAN, 74; B. U., 7.

MIDDLETOWN, Feb. 7.—Wesleyan had an easy time with Boston University at basketball, winning by the big score of 74 to 7.

EASY FOR DORCHESTER.

Dorchester High had little trouble beating the English High School basketball team in the former's gymnasium. The score was 21 to 7.

STEIN VS. ATTELL.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 7.—"Kid" Stein has been matched to meet Abe Attell in a fifteen-round bout before the Eastern Athletic Club February 12.

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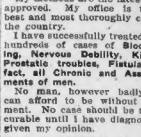

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Boston American Daily Home Magazine

ARE WOMEN RESPONSIBLE FOR MEN'S FAILURES?

A MAN MAY BE HIS OWN CAUSE OF DELAY

John Barleycorn Has Knocked More Men Out of Good Positions Than Working Girls Ever Will

By Dorothy Dix

I HAVE received a melancholy and tear-besprinkled letter from a young man who says that he is of marriageable age and years to be married, but as he only receives ten dollars a week as a clerk he cannot afford the luxury of a wife.

This unfortunate condition of affairs he attributes solely to the entrance into the business world of women who already possess good homes and comfortable incomes, and who can therefore afford to cut wages.

Men, according to my correspondent, cannot compete in labor with women and marry them, too, and so the female sex is confronted with the awful problem of either giving up its job or giving up its husband.

I suppose, since so many men constantly reiterate it, that the entrance of women into commercial life is a disturbing factor, but it doesn't seem to me there is any reason for any healthy, able-bodied man to take as gloomy a view of it as does this young man who pours his tale of woe into my ear.

A Real Question

SURELY it is time to look this question squarely in the face. From a real, practical standpoint, as well as from a sure masculine one.

To begin with, the working woman, as Mr. Cleveland would say to his airy way, is a condition and not a theory with which we are confronted. Furthermore, we are going to have her with us in larger and larger numbers all the time.

No woman from this time on who has got health and strength and intelligence is going to starve or eat the bitter bread of dependence or even wear sackcloth and ashes when she feels in herself the ability to earn the money wherewith to purchase cakes and ale and independence and furbelows and frills.

Women have battered down a few stones in the walls that shut them up in the prison house of penury, and through the breach this summer the whole herd of the needy are going to follow the leaders like sheep over a hedge into the green pastures where they may take their fill of all that life offers.

For men to protest against this, to wail at women upsetting economic conditions, that women have gotten out of their proper sphere, that the working woman is a usurper, is to be a race. Is as futile as to try to stop the incoming tide or stay the wind in the treetops.

Don't Fear Women

EVERYTHING that the most rabid objector to woman's work asserts may be true, but the struggle of life is not conducted on an altruistic platform, and its consideration of the general welfare of humanity is going to keep the woman who is hungry from earning bread, if she can get it, or the woman who is shabby from making the money to buy finery, if she can make it.

And it is precious little she cares whether she takes a man's place or not.

Artemas Ward refused to sacrifice himself for posterity because posterity had done nothing for him, and the working woman entertains the same sentiment toward men.

There are, however, many reasons why men ought not to fear women as competitors in business.

In the first place, the assertion that women work who do not need to work is a falsehood made out of whole cloth. It is the custom to represent women as being so excessively fond of labor that they work for the mere pleasure of the thing.

Women Are Lazy

WE are continually told of young women who leave luxurious homes and fathers willing and able to support them, in order to stand eight or ten hours a day behind a counter, or pound from morning until night on a typewriter, but none of us has ever seen a single, solitary representative of this class of industrious freaks.

What life has been passed among working women.

I know hundreds and thousands of them, but I do not know one single, solitary one, barring two or three rich women weirdies, who were not forced to support themselves and their dependents by the stern necessity to either work or starve.

Men need never fear that they will have to compete with women, as an entire sex, in business.

Women are naturally self-indulgent.

Physical laziness has been bred in them for countless generations, and they loathe it when they will never do anything regularly, systematically and on time unless they have to.

The mere fact of having to get up of a morning and put on a corset and a fluffy frock, instead of a kimono, is every woman out of the labor market who isn't driven into it by actual need.

Nature Against It

ANOTHER reason why men need not fear women's competition in business is that nature herself has handicapped the feminine sex.

There are as many reasons why no woman should be forced to do daily labor to support herself as there are quivering nerves in a woman's body.

These she cannot control, and these are always going to make woman's labor less valuable than man's.

The business of the world is carried on on hard, practical lines.

Employers are guided solely by interest, and not by sentiment, in hiring their employes, and my correspondent and every other man knows that, between a man and woman of equipollent of equal intelligence, industry and moral habits for a situation, the man would get the job at the same salary, or even a little more.

My friend would know that the only reason that man was less likely to be sick, that he would be able to endure longer hours of sustained labor, and that he would be less likely to leave after having been taught the routine of the work he was to do.

A Poor Excuse

SINCE these things are true—since women do not work unless they have to, and are always ready to throw up their jobs for a husband; and especially since the great profession of motherhood claims the majority of women so much and so often that it renders their presence in the industrial world too spasmodic to really count, it does look like men ought to find some better excuse for not making money than the one that the girl clerk and bookkeeper and stenographer are taking the bread out of their mouths.

To the man who complains that he can't get along in the ten-dollar-a-week-clerk class because of the competition of girls I can only say: Get out of it.

There is plenty of room at the top, where women lack the physical strength to climb.

The real reason that so many men are forced to spend their lives working for low wages is because they addle whatever brains they have by habits of liquor and devote most of their intelligence to trying to figure out how to beat the pool rooms.

John Barleycorn and the dope sheet have knocked men out of more good positions than working girls ever have or ever will.

WHILE A WOMAN KEEPS ON WORKING

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Here are a few of to-day's contributions:

ONLY ONE WISH

I wish not for the wealth of worlds,
Nor sigh in courts to shine,
I only care, I only wish,
To know thy heart is mine;
Far more to me than gem of gold,
Or jewel of the sea,
Would be a simple lovely bone
With naught but love and thee.
MISS FRANCES FITZGERALD,
No. 74 Summer street, Natick.

MATING TIME

OF love I'll build a nest that's strong,
With lining soft and down,
And sing to you life's sweetest song—
Come be my valentine.
ROSA WILLIAMS.
No. 104 Court street, Auburn, Me.

LIZE, OH LIZE!

OF all the girls beneath the skies,
Give me Lize, oh, give me Lize.
She's my queen, my peach, my prize,
So give me Lize and Pumpkin pies;
They are the stuffing every time,
And the love of my heart, my valentine.
T. VENTER.
Epsom, N. H.

LIVE ON LOVE

I SEND you nothing but my love,
Naught else have I to give;
But then, you know, on such sweet fare
It is that lovers live.
MISS VIOLA SAMINSKI.
No. 41 Grosvenor street, Worcester.

NEAR AND FAR

THIS day is bright with sunshine
Because thy face I see.
That day is darksome only
When thou art far from me.
And if it come that we should part,
I would not linger five, sweetheart.
A. E. COLSON.
No. 194 Belvidere street, Boston.

IN JUNE, '06

IN June the birds are in the tree,
The earth with love and life is teeming.
And I love you, and you love me,
So why should we stay only dreaming?
Then name the day, My Valentine,
Don't leave me in such sorry fix;
Join your dear hand and heart with mine,
In sweet, compelling June—'06.
B. HALTON,
Box 685, Lebanon, N. H.

IF I WERE KING

IF I were a great musician,
My best song to thee I'd sing;
If I owned earth's fairest blossoms,
The choicest to you I'd bring.
With boundless love I'd serve thee,
And lavish the wealth of a king.
If you'd accept with kindness
My Valentine and ring.
HELEN G. LONGLEY,
Raynham Centre, Mass.

LOVE'S WREATH

MY friend, I fain would send to you
A wreath of fragrant flowers,
There should be violets, pansies, too,
To brighten all the hours;
And hope and cheer, to beautify,
Should be the evergreen,
Which speaks of lasting love
And joys for you, I ween.
LIZZIE MILLS COOK
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SPEECHLESS

NO words have I, or flowery rhyme,
To woo thee, dearest treasure;
If you will be my Valentine
I'll take that without measure.
Not for a day, but aye and aye,
My love will never weary,
But only this my lips can say:
I'll love thee, love thee, lovelie.
South Waterford, Me. E. H. POTTER

IN SPITE OF ALL

THE silver brook may babble on,
The thrush may chant his lay,
But these can have no charm for me
When you are far away.
The woodlands may be cold and bare,
And Winter storms abide,
But yet 'tis Summer in my heart
If you are at my side.
MARY GILCHRIST
No. 24½ Richland street, Worcester, Mass.

BENT, NOT BROKE

AS the twig is bent,
So the tree's inclined;
I bend to you,
My Valentine.
MAY L. KANE.
West Dummerston, Vt.

A PRETTY PAIR

YOU are young, you are pretty;
You are single, that's a pity.
I am single for your sake;
What a pretty pair we'd make.
MARION TRAYNOR, Nine Years Old.
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CUPID, MESSENGER

CALL Cupid to your aid, my dear,
And he your beau shall be.
To say that, whether far or near,
You'll be my valentine.
VIOLA E. KENNEDY.
No. 168A Elm street, Worcester.

LIKE GEMS

TRUE friends are like diamonds.
Precious, but rare;
False ones like autumn leaves,
Found everywhere.
MISS MARGARET WAGNER.
No. 223 Belmont st., Manchester, N. H.

NOT ROOM ENOUGH

I'M tired, dear, trying to express
In such short space my love for you.
There is no room in which to press
One-half my love in lines so few.
Earth will not hold it, the sun high
For eight-line verses e'er to reach;
I cannot measure, dear, how'r I try,
The wealth of love I have would teach.
MRS. B. HALTON.
Box 685, Lebanon, N. H.

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THE HIDDEN MARRIAGE

A Romance of Beacon Street and the Slums of Boston

CHAPTER XXII.—Continued

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IT was about 8 o'clock when he had telephoned to Durham's house.

"You are sure that no one was in the house?" he persisted.

"Well, I looked until I expected every policeman in Boston would come up to see what was the matter, and I couldn't get an answer," responded Della, impatiently.

"How should there be?—unless, of course, a burglar had broken in. Everyone was at the theater. Don't you know yet that Mr. Durham always sends his servants to the opening night of one of his actor plays to insure a certain amount of applause, at any rate," was added, with a gleam of her usual lambent humor.

Durham laughed tolerantly; he was accustomed to Della's rather malicious remarks. Moodaunt had scarcely heard.

His mind was trying feverishly to straighten the thing out.

It seemed certain that Durham's house had been empty at the time when he had called, believed, sent a telephone message to it.

And that message had been received by someone; it had been answered, beyond a possibility of doubt.

Into what unknown ear in the great void of Boston had he whispered the fatal word, murderer?

Durham was looking intently at his friend.

"Look here, Bunny, it won't do for you to give way to depression; I can see you're worrying, and that's the worst thing possible for a man in your state."

"Oh, I'm all right," but not finish the sentence.

"If you get your sight back, were you going to say? Of course you will! Jaundice chills are nasty, and the sphygmo worth betting on. Hang it all," he added, with the boisterous laugh that generally presaged more feeling than he cared to show, "didn't we have a high time, though, when we done yet got his sight back in Act IV.?—big scene that was! Your sight will come in the next month or so."

"Your blind man was so horribly good," said Della. "I vowed whenever he was on I was insufferable he would have been in real life."

"That's frank criticism, anyhow!" cried Durham. "Why, I've seen half a theatre audience cry over his pathos. Anyhow, Bunny, you must cheer up. Of course, could find out what's all right, but I hate to have eyes bandaged so long; I know, but after all, it's only a month, and you've got to worry about anything."

He left her hand upon Moodaunt's with a sympathetic touch.

Bunny longed to worry about anything. Just set your mind on getting out what's all right, however. I believe that telephone message is on your mind for something, and you've got to get rid of it."

Moodaunt made an impatient movement. He had not told Durham that he had telephoned, and he knew that he had sent that fatal message, and some one had answered, some one knew! The fact that the reply could not have come from Durham did not convince him that it was a delusion of an overwrought brain, and he had refused to his shaky confession.

Della would be useless; there were such easy means of identification ready to hand for the police, once their suspicions were aroused. Inevitably he would be compelled to confess to the man who could swear to Paul Carew, with the exception that he had driven him to Uncle Jimmy Johnson's house.

Told the Police.

"It's easy to talk," he said, irritably, unreasonably angry because they made light of what he had to endure; "you're not a man's cut off from everything—"

"Bunny!" cried Durham, "you're not cut off while you can still hear your friends speak and their hand grip talk with them."

"He took with them as the telephone," Moodaunt stirred at the unexpected sound. He could not think that the innocence of his thoughts was intolerable.

"Durham, I want most particularly to know your own or telephone number at once."

That seemed only one solution of this difficulty. Leaving the sick friend to his fate, he hurried to Paul Carew, with the request that he would drive

WANTS $30,000 FOR HUSBAND'S LOST AFFECTION

Mrs. Ellis Maud Langley Sues Spouse's Parents for Alienation of His Affections.

COUPLE ELOPED IN APRIL

The elopement-marriage of Harold S. Langley, formerly of Harvard and Winchester, and Miss Ellis Maud, a pretty department store clerk, has resulted in a $30,000 suit for the alienation of her husband's affections brought by the young bride against her husband's parents.

The couple eloped to Providence last April and were married by the Rev. W. W. McCord. After living together less than a month the two separated.

Not hearing from her husband since last May, the younger Mrs. Langley has filed a suit for alienation against the father-in-law, Stephen S. Langley, retired partner of the Burr, Langley company of this city, and mother-in-law, Ella Hansen Langley, both of Winchester, where the family estate is situated.

Rather Angry at Marriage.

Mrs. Ellis Langley was an employe in one of the department stores of the city when Harold Langley was a student at Harvard. The two had been introduced during the Spring of 1905. Young Langley decided to make a runaway match of it.

When the message reached Winchester that the happy couple were registered at the Winthrop by New York it did not take the irate father many hours to appear on the scene. Eye witnesses say that the meeting between the father and son was rather tempestuous. A compromise was made, however, and the trio returned to Winchester to live at the Sandoupe Langley residence.

For a week or so things ran smoothly. Then it is asserted the son and his bride were forced to seek apartments in Boston. Shortly after this the couple parted.

Groom Goes West.

When twenty-one years of age, or one year before his marriage, Harold Langley came into an estate of several thousand dollars. He had entered Harvard after graduating from the Winchester High School and proceeded to enjoy himself. Twice on account of student pranks he was suspended by the faculty and after his third matriculation has Spring Langley met Miss Ellis and the friendship which ripened into love followed.

After moving into the city with his bride the young man, reputed this hasty action, his friends say, and after a conference with his parents went West where he is at present. He left his young wife unprovided for, so once again she entered a department store.

The young bride secured counsel, and in her $30,000 suit the charges that slanderous reports and malicious lies were carried to the parents of her husband concerning her life previous to the marriage. These tales were reported to him with the result that he soon lost all interest in his bride and decided to cut everything and start anew.

GIRL INSANE FROM JILTING

Sister Pleads With Woman's Former Sweetheart in Attempt to Save Her Reason.

BROCKTON, Feb. 7.—To save her sister, Miss Esther Thulin, of No. 33 Nilsson street, this city, from the mad house and restore her reason, after being jilted by her lover and deserted by him on the eve of her wedding day, Mrs. J. A. Bolin of Newton has come here to plead with a boy of twenty to accompany her to the Worcester insane hospital, where Miss Thulin is now confined, there to renew his pledge of love.

Mrs. Bolin said: "My sister's troubles are due wholly to the failure of her lover to keep his promise and marry her. When Miss Thulin went to the Bolin home in Newton Saturday she was nervous and strangely excited.

Attempts to console her were repulsed. At length she was induced to go to bed with her sister, and when Mrs. Bolin awoke late Saturday night she was horrified to find her sister clutching at her throat, her eyes almost with insanity.

Mrs. Bolin says her sister was to marry Theodore S. Vaisbort on July 4. The wedding day was set for February 1.

"On the day appointed," Mrs. Bolin said, "the wedding guests were assembled and the bride appeared radiantly happy. The clergyman came. Everything was in readiness except the groom. When a search was made he was found hanging in a barn. He said he could not marry Miss Thulin because he had wasted the love for her because she was older than he."

CABIN BOY HERO SAVES NEWSBOY

Walter Blake, a sixteen-year-old cabin boy on the ship King's County, saved the life of little Henry J. Sharley, a ten-year-old newsboy, who fell into the water at the old Mystic Wharf in Charlestown. The little newsboy with his arms full of papers, was trying to board the King's County on a heavy plank leading from the wharf to the ship. He was almost to the ship when the plank broke in two.

Blake saw the accident and clambered over the rail to the rope ladder and when he reached the last rung his foot slipped and he plunged into the water beside the newsboy. He reached for the ladder and dragged himself to safety. Then, slipping his legs through the last rung on the ladder, he reached out and grabbed the boy as he was going under for the third time. Holding on to the unconscious lad with fingers numb with cold, the plucky cabin boy awaited aid from above.

After a long wait a rope was let down from the deck, and slipping it round the body of the newsboy the hero cried: "Haul him up. Never mind me."

The newsboy was hauled to the deck unconscious and was taken to the cook's cabin and resuscitated. The rescuer was found clinging to the ladder almost unconscious and unable to move or loosen his fingers from the grip on the ladder. One of the sailors tied a rope about the rescuer and he was hauled up to the deck.

CHUMS FURNISH A FLAT FOR CHAUFFEUR'S SECRET BRIDE

MRS. EDWARD SEHRING, NEE GRACE BALL.

Disowned Millionaire's Daughter Pledges Jewels to Set Her Husband Up in Business.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Society young women—chums of Mrs. Edward W. Sehring, nee Grace Ball, daughter of Thomas H. Ball, millionaire, whose marriage to her father's discharged chauffeur created a sensation—have clubbed together and furnished a little flat in New York city, and within a few days the young bride, whose folks have disowned her, will entertain upon a modest scale within a short distance of the handsome Ball home, No. 48 West Seventy-second street.

This information was given by friends of the young couple in East Orange, where they are living until the flat is completed. Mr. Sehring and his accomplished bride are, and have been, living with Harry Doty on the second floor of the little two-family house, No. 206 South Clinton street, East Orange. Mr. Doty is a traveling salesman and his mother has been teaching the young bride her duties as a housekeeper. Friends say she has proved an apt scholar and is now fully capable of doing her own housework, which she is forced into through financial circumstances.

Mrs. Sehring is making the best of her position in life, and has told her friends she is happy. She has also understand, disposed of some of her jewels to assist her husband in starting in the automobile business.

Mrs. Sehring has taken an interest in her husband's business and has introduced him to many of her wealthy acquaintances, with the result, so her friends say, that he has sold or contracted for the sale of several automobiles.

CHURCH IS UNION JOB

The board of directors of the Christian Science Church, whose new building is in process of erection on Falmouth street has aroused some discussion in labor circles, it is learned, upon inquiry from the officers of the Iron Furring and Metallic Lathers to-day that the "job" is being done on strictly union lines. There has been a report that non-union men were employed, and the investigation of the directors was the result. The officers of the union men found declared emphatically that only union men were being employed, and that all of them had a clear card and were, therefore, members in good standing. The officers of the union state, furthermore, that no miners were working on the building.

DINED ROOSEVELTS ON THE MAYFLOWER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The President and Mrs. Roosevelt were entertained at dinner on board the Mayflower this evening by Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte and Mrs. Bonaparte.

The big pinnace now presented to the Mayflower by the peace envoys was used for the first time.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Sergt. Crowley's 5-Year Search

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BOY'S INTENDED BRIDE BECOMES UNCLE'S WIFE

Girl, on Eve of Wedding to Young New Yorker, Marries Brother-in-Law.

CHANGE CAUSES SENSATION

Special to the Boston American.

WORCESTER, Feb. 7.—While William Libby, the young man who up to a day or two ago thought he was to be the groom at the wedding of Miss Lena Markowitz, was speeding away from the city heart-broken and sick, his intended bride was married to his uncle, Rudolph Libby, a handsome and wealthy Front street jeweler, many years his senior.

The wedding was one of the sensations of Worcester's history. Young Libby, who is less than twenty-five, had taken out his marriage license, engaged a flat and furnished it at No. 57 John street, and anticipated moving into it with his bride.

The bride, who is a charming young woman, had cared for Rudolph Libby's children as a mother since the death of their own mother, her sister, seven years ago. The prospect of having the children opened upon her mind, and it also caused Mr. Libby, Sr., to worry. The elder Libby asked Miss Markowitz if she wouldn't change her mind and make him the groom, instead of the younger man. After some hesitation, Miss Markowitz agreed.

The younger Libby was heart-broken when the news was broken to him, the day before the ceremony, and wandered about like a man in a daze. He stayed in the city until within an hour of the time set for the wedding, and then disappeared. It is supposed he returned to his home in New York.

The wedding was one of the gala events of Worcester's Jewish society. The couple was attended by Emanuel Fiedler, the famous Boston Symphony violist, and his wife, Oscar Grosberg and wife of Boston, Miss Helena Markowitz of Boston, Miss Mae Richmond of Boston, Louis Resnick, Mrs. Mary Goldberg, Mrs. Sarah Bloom of Norwich, N. Y., and Miss Rhoda Markowitz. The ceremony was performed in Temple Emanu-El by Rabbi Hyman Silver and Cantor Eli Cheslon.

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Libby will return to make their home at No. 4 Kendall place.

THE MARTIN SCHOOL ALUMNI TO BANQUET

The sixth annual banquet and reunion of the Martin School Alumni Association will be held Thursday evening, February 8, in the school hall, Huntington avenue, Roxbury. The program for the evening includes a banquet, vaudeville entertainment and dancing. The present officers of the alumni association, who are arranging for the reunion, are James A. Good, president; Mrs. Frances McCarty, Frank Kelley and Michael O'Neill, vice-presidents; Booth Buckley, secretary; James Lyons, treasurer.

$14,000,000 STEAMSHIP LINE FOR BATH

New Morse Company Controls Eastern and Metropolitan—To Buy Clyde Line.

FORTY VESSELS IN FLEET

BATH, Me., Feb. 7.—Attorneys for Charles W. Morse, of New York, have deposited with the registrar of deeds here the largest certificate of incorporation ever filed in this county.

It is for $14,000,000 and is said to cover the purchase of the Clyde Line of ocean liners by Mr. Morse and his associates, which becomes a part of the gigantic steamship business which they now control. It is reported that Caleb Austin, who has been at the head of the Eastern Steamship Company since Mr. Morse formed that combination, will be at the head of this new corporation.

Controls Many Lines.

Mr. Morse already controls the Metropolitan Line between Boston and New York; the Eastern Steamship Company between Boston and St. John, N. B., and the People's Line, between New York and Albany. He bought the Eastern Steamship Company in 1901.

By the purchase of the Clyde Line Mr. Morse will gain control of all lines of steamers along the Atlantic coast from St. John, N. B., to Jacksonville, via Charleston and from New York to Wilmington and Georgetown.

To Hail From Bath.

It is understood that the forty vessels will all hail from Bath, and that their port of register will be changed to this city, just as has that of the steamers of the other lines in which Mr. Morse is interested.

The transfer of the vessels of the Eastern Steamship fleet to this city means a gain of $1,800 in taxes to the city, and this will probably represent several times that amount. Bath is the native town of Mr. Morse, and consequently he likes to have his shipping property hail from here.

FRAUD IN CITIZENSHIP OF STEAMER CAPTAINS

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—John E. Wilkie, chief of the United States Secret Service, declares that the captain of every steamer which has been wrecked on the Pacific coast in the last three years has been found to have been fraudulently naturalized.

EX-POLICE CHIEF DEAD.

NEW BEDFORD, Feb. 7.—Colonel Daniel A. Buther, formerly Chief of Police of this city, and a civil war veteran, is dead, at the age of sixty-eight years.

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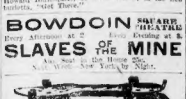

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HEARST'S BOSTON AMERICAN

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Do We Really Need to Train a Lot of Fighting Men?

Mr. Roosevelt Says So—He Is Wise. But We Doubt It

President Roosevelt talks much and interestingly about fighters and fighting. They are, in a way, his specialties.

Recently he gave excellent advice to those interested in teaching children the use of firearms. The advice might well be taken to heart by **ALL AMERICANS.**

It is true, as Mr. Roosevelt says, that every man in the country should know how to use a gun. It is true also that every man in the country should **OWN** a good, reliable weapon of his own. He should keep it in his house, and **NOT** take it around with him, although the Constitution says that he may take it around if he chooses—"the right of the people to **BEAR** arms."

Those who established this Government and wrote our Constitution knew the importance of a **WELL-ARMED CITIZENSHIP.** They knew what every man should remember—**THAT NO UNARMED PEOPLE EVER GAINED ITS FREEDOM**—or kept it, once gained.

If the people of the United States had not been well armed in 1776, and able to **USE** their arms, **WE COULD NOT HAVE BEATEN ENGLAND.**

Washington could keep his armies and fill up the ranks to replace the dead and the runaways—there were some runaways; we are not all heroes—because every man that he could point his finger at had a rifle and knew how to shoot.

The people of the United States now, as in former times, **OUGHT TO BE AN ARMED PEOPLE.** And Mr. Roosevelt renders a public service when he argues in favor of teaching all the people to use firearms, and advising them **TO OWN THEIR OWN WEAPONS.**

The people are never without a menace of some kind. Just now it would appear to be the menace of capital, which tends toward control of government, and through government toward control of the army, navy and people.

Among the thirteen millions of voters in this country there ought to be scattered thirteen millions of **GOOD, MODERN RIFLES,** and two or three millions **MORE** among the young men not old enough to vote.

With such an armed citizenship—a citizenship universally armed—**THERE WOULD BE POWER BEHIND THE OPINION OF THE MAJORITY. AND NO CORPORATION GENTLEMEN WOULD EVER PLAN TO GRAB THIS COUNTRY AND MANAGE IT REGARDLESS OF THE PEOPLE'S WILL.** When Mr. Roosevelt encourages the people to know how to use firearms, to train their children, and to **OWN** firearms, he does useful work.

The other day, however, in addressing a delegation from the Interstate National Guard Association, the President went a little farther, it seems to us, than is absolutely necessary. He seemed to fear that Americans might lose **THE DESIRE TO FIGHT.** He said—we quote from the verbatim reports of his speech:

> In a great industrial civilization such as ours we may just as well face the fact that there is a constant tendency to do away with, to eliminate those qualities which make a man a good soldier. It should be the steady object of every legislator, of every executive officer, and, above all, of you, gentlemen, who have to do with the National Guard, to try to encourage these qualities, to try to counteract the tendency toward their elimination.

It is true that an industrial civilization like ours tends to eliminate the love of fighting. But is that a thing to **REGRET?**

White men as a whole—even our forefathers, the frontiersmen—cannot be called remarkable in fighting instinct as compared with the red Indian. The red Indian spent half the time with his hands in blood—that of his neighbors, or of buffaloes, or of bears. But the more peaceful white man has not had much trouble in dealing with his strenuous red brother.

As a matter of fact, if Mr. Roosevelt will read over and again his own history about Oliver Cromwell, he will find that the industrial citizen, and the **INDUSTRIOUS CITIZEN,** spending his life without any thoughts of war at all, **MAKES THE BEST POSSIBLE SOLDIER WHEN THE TIME COMES.**

It isn't the soldier with the trained fighting body that wins the fights. **IT'S THE SOLDIER WITH THE TRAINED AND THE CONVINCED MIND.**

We have not read Mr. Roosevelt's life of Cromwell. Another, written by a more thoroughly equipped historian, appeared at the same time. But we are sure that Mr. Roosevelt in his history of Cromwell must record the fact that Cromwell asked that he be supplied with "godly men" as fighters.

He didn't want trained blusterers or trained fighters. He didn't want the fops or trained fighters of the court whom he thrashed so thoroughly with his "godly men." Cromwell wanted men **THAT MEANT TO WIN.** And he got them. Cromwell didn't spend his own life killing things, or thinking or talking about war, or preparing for it, but he **WAS A VERY REMARKABLE SOLDIER.**

As a fighting man and a general—if it be not treason to say so—Oliver Cromwell compares quite favorably even with Theodore Roosevelt.

He planned and won some of the greatest battles in history. HE NEVER LOST A BATTLE, and we don't know of any other great fighter with that record. Yet Cromwell didn't train himself as a soldier, he didn't worry about training others.

He asked that men should lead good lives—honest, industrious lives. AND HE WOULD UNDERTAKE TO MAKE THEM GOOD FIGHTERS AS SOON AS THEY SHOULD HAVE A GOOD CAUSE TO FIGHT FOR.

We know that Mr. Roosevelt spends long hours awake worrying about the country, and planning how he can make the people better—how he can make them better fighters, especially.

We feel that it would be a relief to him if he could realize that the American individual, attending to his business, doing his work honestly, keeping himself in good health and honest mind, will be able to do any fighting that the country really REQUIRES without any special training.

As a matter of fact, when we had recently a war that needed military greatness, where did we get our ONE national hero? Did we get him from West Point, from Annapolis? No. The one man who stood out in the war, who was made Governor and President and everything else, was Theodore Roosevelt, who had not really done much fighting or drilling to speak of. If Mr. Roosevelt, the business man, ranchman, Police Commissioner, Civil Service Commissioner, Governor and college man, was able at the critical moment to step forward, save Cuba and defeat Spain, why need he doubt that other Americans will do the same when necessity shall arrive? Which, of course, will be after HE shall have passed on and ceased to take care of us.

Mr. Roosevelt, men need not be like d'Artagnan, or Falstaff either, to protect their country at need.

THE HALL-ROOM BOYS

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SAY FERD, DID YOU HEAR ABOUT COLDHASH SINCE HE LEFT OUR STORE. HE WAS ONLY PULLING OUT $8 A WEEK UP IN THE BUSINESS OFFICE, AND NOW HE'S WITH LAWSONBILT'S HOUSE DOWN IN STATE STREET AT $15. LET'S TAKE A TRIP DOWN THERE DURING LUNCH HOUR, AND TRY OUR LUCK.
PERHAPS COLDHASH MIGHT PUT IN A GOOD WORD FOR US.
EMPLOYEE ENTRANCE NO GOODS TO BE DELIVERED HERE
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WE OUGHT TO PUT UP QUITE A FRONT AS WE ARE WELL DRESSED AND THAT GOES A GREAT WAYS. IF WE CAN ONLY GET A PERSONAL INTERVIEW WITH LAWSONBILT. A LITTLE HOT AIR AND A GOOD BLUFF WILL LAND US THE JOB SINCE I'LL BE THE SPOKESMAN. I'LL WEAR THE VIOLETS.
2
BOY! TELL MR COLDHASH MR. HALL ROOM WISHES TO SEE HIM.
YESSIR!
5
HELLO COLDHASH. HOW ARE THEY COMING - SAY, OLD MAN CAN YOU PUT US NEXT TO A JOB HERE. YOU'RE PRETTY SOLID WITH OLD LAWSONBILT AREN'T YOU? JUST HAND HIM MY CARD AND SAY THE GENTLEMAN REPRESENTED ON THE CARD WISHES TO SEE HIM ON VERY IMPORTANT BUSINESS.
ALL RIGHT HALL ROOM I'LL SEE WHAT I CAN DO.
4
HELLO HALL-ROOM- I RATHER STRANGE WE SHOULD MEET YOU HERE.
NOT AT ALL MR. G. WHAT A WAD. WE ARE HERE AT MR. LAWSONBILT'S REQUEST. HE DESIRES A PERSONAL INTERVIEW WITH US JUDGING FROM THE WAY THE TELEGRAM WAS WORDED.
3
MR. COLDHASH SAYS DE BOSS SAYS DERE'S NOTHIN' DOIN'. HE DON'T KNOW YOUSE, AND IS TOO BUSY TO GIT ACQUAINTED. IN ODER WORDS - SKIDOO.
H. B. M'Gill.
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Unfortunately, It Was Mr. Lawsonbilt's Busy Day.

IN BUGVILLE

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PLATYZOSTERIA INGEUS—No, you can't marry my daughter. Why, our family has been known for years and you have only been discovered during the last few months.

MRS. FIREFLY—I'll be with you in a moment, Mrs. Bug—just as soon as I trim and oil the children!

WHOSE CHILD ARE YOU?

By Rev. Thomas B. Gregory

ARE you the child of Health or the child of Disease; the child of Intelligence or the child of Squalor and Degradation, or the child of Decency and Truth?

I am well aware of the fact that no man is responsible for his parentage, and that among sensible, right-living people the world over, one is judged not by what his parentage was, but by what he is.

Nevertheless, the question at the head of this article is of the profoundest all-round importance. It is a question that goes down to the very bottom of psychology, morality, politics and economics, and not until it is thoroughly considered, and conscientiously acted upon will the human race begin to improve.

To say that the character of the parentage does not tell, for weal or for woe, upon the child is to say that wheat will not produce wheat nor thistles thistles.

In the councils of men the child is not held accountable for the deeds of its father or mother, but in the economy of Nature the grim fact remains that from father or mother the child inherits the traits which are to be its joy or sorrow, its glory or its shame.

Early environment, it is perfectly true, is able to do much, but as a rule the inferior parentage carries along with it the inferior physical and moral surroundings, and the heritage of woe from father or mother or both remains like a millstone about the child's neck.

The influence of the mother, especially, upon the child's character, is tremendous beyond all power of conception! During the mysterious months of the Prenatal Life the babe is steadily being impressed by the mother's physical and moral characteristics, and it were a miracle indeed were it otherwise.

Such being the case, it will readily be seen that marriage is one of the most serious steps that one can possibly think of taking.

Compared with marriage, nothing in diplomacy or statesmanship, religion or philosophy, art or letters, possesses more than a minor interest and importance.

If the fountain-head of humanity is what it ought to be, then the stream of history will take care of itself, but if the source and spring of things are bad, then history becomes—what it has always been—the story of degradation and crime, bestiality and greed, interspersed with far too few gleams of the "true, the beautiful and the good."

We are amazingly busy with many things, searching in innumerable directions for the secrets which, when discovered, shall give us the coveted empire over Nature, and the civilization which such empire implies; but the most vitally important fact of all we criminally ignore, wondering, the while, why it is that the world improves so slowly and that the dream of the good men of all the ages is so tardy in materializing.

The stupidity of it! So long as the "powers that be" are as careless as they are of the rights of the child humanity will continue to be the spotted thing that it is.

Blood will tell—and if the bad blood gets into the child's veins it will surely manifest itself in its life.

We owe it as a solemn duty to the unborn generations to see to it that the marriage laws are made so stringent that the multitude of the physically, mentally and morally unfit shall be prevented from repeating their unfitness.

Shut off the infiltrating streams of bad blood and you at once begin to uplift the race, but with matters as they are not all the homilies of all the moralists, nor all the preachments of all the preachers, nor all the prayers of all the saints, nor all the drugs of all the doctors will be able to give us the wished-for new and glorious Humanity.

Lessons in Municipal Ownership

Our Industrial Aristocracy

By Professor Frank Parsons.

WE claim to have abolished monarchy and aristocracy in this country, but it is not so.

We have passed paper laws against despotic government, and we have organized our politics on democratic principles in large degree. But our industry is still organized on the despotic principle and the woods are full of illegitimate political despots who have usurped the power that belongs to the people by means of fraud and cunning and use of aristocratic industrial power.

Democracy and self-government are not merely favored by public ownership; public ownership IS democracy and self-government in industry, and is essential to democracy and self-government in political and social life.

Our gas and electric magnates, street railway, telegraph and telephone princes, railroad and oil emperors, are just as truly aristocrats as if born with titles.

Jay Gould is reported to have said that he had rather be president of the Western Union than President of the United States, and no wonder—the chief executive's powers, except in time of war, and his chances at any time of deceiving the people to line his own pocket were insufficient compared to those enjoyed by the Czar of the Telegraph.

The American people would be indignant if any one should charge them with favoring royalty, creating and sustaining dukes, marquises, lords and earls, or meekly submitting to titled aristocrats of any grade.

There would be a revolution if Congress should confer the title of prince, or duke, or earl on Vanderbilt, Gould, Rockefeller, Morgan, Harriman, etc. Prince Vanderbilt, Lord Rockefeller, Earl Harriman, Duke Morgan, and the rest would soon find the country too warm for their habitation.

Yet the essence of royalty and aristocracy is not in the title, but in the overgrown power which one man possesses over his fellows.

Such overgrown power is inherent in the private ownership of great monopolies.

Not until every private monopoly is abolished can we claim to have a complete republic in America.

Not until every public service is owned by the people will despotism be dead and aristocracy banished from our soil.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP LEAGUE

Ward..... City.....

I, the undersigned, enroll myself a member of the Municipal Ownership League of the city in which I reside. I pledge myself to use every honorable effort to bring about the municipal ownership of public utilities. I believe that city lighting plants to supply the needs of cities and of the citizens as well is one object to be attained.

Name .....

Street Address.....

Cut this out, sign it and mail it to the Secretary of the Municipal Ownership League, No. 80 Summer street.

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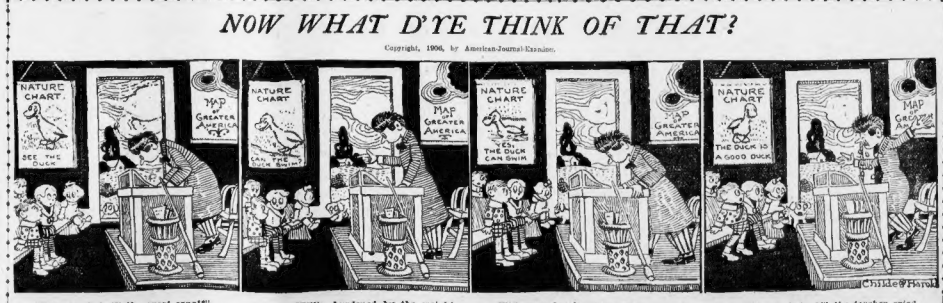

"Who was it built the great canal?"
The tired teacher asked his school
One day in 1948.
(Dear friends, do not forget the date,
It was in 1948).

And Willie, burdened by the weight
Of knowledge in his little pate—
Although he was, I'm glad to state,
A silent laddie as a rule—

With eager, burning eyes arose,
And asked, with slightly overdone
Humility, "You mean the one
Down there at Panama, I 'spose?"

"Oh, no, indeed!" the teacher cried
(He seemed hysterical and wild),
"The one at Panama, alas,
(And here he wept before the class),
"Is not quite finished yet, my child!"